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PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

2010-Present	Director, Center for the Study of Voting, Elections, and Democracy, University of New Mexico
2006-Present	University of New Mexico, Professor
2001-Present	Regents' Lecturer
2001- 2006	University of New Mexico, Associate Professor
1995-2001	University of New Mexico, Assistant Professor

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

1995	Ph.D., Political Science, University of Colorado, Boulder Dissertation Title: <i>Divisiveness or Unity? Reassessing the Divisive Nomination Hypothesis in the Presidential Selection Process</i> (Chair: Professor Walter J. Stone)
Summer 1990	ICPSR Summer Training in Quantitative Methods for Social Science Research, University of Michigan.
1987	BA, Political Science, University of California, Riverside

PUBLICATIONS:

Peer Reviewed Articles:

- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Lisa A. Bryant, Alexis N. Adams, Luciana Zilberman, Kyle L. Saunders, 2011. "Considering Mixed Mode Surveys for Questions in Political Behavior: Using the Internet and Mail to Get Quality Data at Reasonable Costs." *Political Behavior* (Forthcoming).
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Lisa Bryant, Thad Hall, Kyle L Saunders and R. Michael Alvarez. 2010. "New Barriers to Voter Participation: An Examination of New Mexico's Voter Identification Law." *Electoral Studies* 29(1):66-73.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Cherie D. Maestas. 2009. "Meaningful Participation and the Evolution of the Reformed Presidential Nominating System," *PS: Political Science & Politics* 42(1):59-64.
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- Maestas, Cherie D. and Lonna Rae Atkeson, Lisa Bryant, and Thomas Croon. 2008. "Shifting the Blame: Federalism, Causal Attribution and Political Accountability Following Hurricane Katrina," *Publius* 38(4): 609-632.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Timothy Krebs. 2008. "Press Coverage in Mayoral Elections: Is there a Gender Bias?" *Political Research Quarterly* 61 (2): 239-53.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae & Lori Tafoya. 2008. "Surveying Political Activists: An Examination of the Effectiveness of a Mixed Mode (Internet and Mail) Survey Design." *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties* 18(4): 367-386.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae & Kyle L. Saunders. 2007. "Voter Confidence: A Local Matter?" *PS: Political Science & Politics* 40(October):655-660.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae & Nancy Carrillo. 2007. "More is Better: The Impact of Female Representation on Citizen Attitudes Toward Government Responsiveness," *Gender and Politics* 3(1): 79-101.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2003. "Not All Cues are Created Equal: The Conditional Impact of Female Candidates on Political Engagement," *Journal of Politics* 65(4): 1040-61.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Ronald B. Rapoport. 2003. "The More Things Change the More they Stay the Same: Examining Differences in Political Communication, 1952-2000," *Public Opinion Quarterly* 67(4):495-521.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Randall W. Partin. 2001. "Candidate Advertisements, Media Coverage, and Citizen Attitudes: The Agendas and Roles of Senators and Governors in a Federal System," *Political Research Quarterly* 54(4): 795-813.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 1999. "'Sure, I voted for the Winner!' Over Report of the Primary Vote for the Party Nominee in the American National Election Studies," *Political Behavior* 21(3): 197-215.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Randall W. Partin. 1998. "Economic and Referendum Voting and the Problem of Data Choice: A Reply," *American Journal of Political Science* 42:1003-1007.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 1998. "Divisive Primaries and General Election Outcomes: Another Look at Presidential Campaigns," *American Journal of Political Science* 42:256-271.
- Rapoport, Ronald O. Walter J. Stone, and Lonna Rae Atkeson. 1996. "Candidate Chances, Ideological Moderation and American Nomination Politics: A Simulation Approach," *European Journal of Political Research* 29:147-168.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Randall W. Partin. 1995. "Economic and Referendum Voting: A Comparison of Senate and Gubernatorial Elections," *American Political Science Review* 89:99-107.
- Stone, Walter J., Ronald Rapoport and Lonna Rae Atkeson. 1995. "A Simulation Model of Presidential Nomination Choice," *American Journal of Political Science* 39:135-161.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 1993. "Moving Toward Unity: Attitudes in the Nomination and General Election Stages of the Presidential Campaign." *American Politics Quarterly* 21:272-289.
- Stone, Walter J., Lonna Rae Atkeson and Ronald Rapoport. 1992. "Turning On or Turning Off: Mobilization and Demobilization Effects of Participation in Presidential Nomination Campaigns," *American Journal of Political Science* 36:665-691.

Books:

- Alvarez, R. Michael, Lonna Rae Atkeson and Thad E. Hall (Editors). (Under Review). *Confirming Elections: Creating Confidence and Integrity Through Election Auditing*

Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Cherie D. Maestas. *Catastrophic Shifts: Media, Emotion, Blame, and Public Opinion in Extraordinary Events: A Study of Hurricane Katrina*. (Under Review).
Alvarez, R. Michael, Lonna Rae Atkeson and Thad E. Hall. *Evaluating the Election Ecosystem*. (In Progress)

Book Chapters, Monographs:

- Rocca, Michael, Lonna Rae Atkeson, Yann Kereval and Lisa Bryant. 2010. "Moving from Red to Blue: The 2008 New Mexico Presidential, Senate, and First Congressional District Races," in *The Change Election: Money, Mobilization, and Persuasion in the 2008 Federal Elections*, edited by David Magleby, Philadelphia: Temple University Press.
- Rapoport, Ronald, Kira Allman, Daniel Maliniak, Lonna Rae Atkeson. 2010. "'Internet-ization of American Parties: The Implications of the Unity08 Effort,'" in *The State of the Parties*, 6th edition Edited by John Green, Boulder: Roman and Littlefield.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2010. "The State of Survey Research as a Research Tool," in the *Oxford Encyclopedia of American Elections and Political Behavior*, edited by Jan Leighley, Oxford, Oxford University Press.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2010. "Voter Decision-Making on the Heels of Iowa," in *The Rise of the West*, eds. David Patton and Jennifer L. Robinson. Salt Lake City: University of Utah.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Cherie D. Maeastas. 2009. "Race and the Formation of Attitudes: Responses to Hurricane Katrina," in *Understanding Public Opinion 3rd Edition*, edited by Barbara Norrander and Clyde Wilcox. Washington DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Lorraine Tafoya. 2008. "Close, but Not Close Enough: Democrats Lose Again by the Slimmest of Margins in New Mexico's First Congressional District," in *War Games: Issues and Resources in the Battle for Control of Congress*, edited by David Magleby and Kelly Patterson, Boulder: Paradigm Publishers.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Kyle L. Saunders. 2008. "Voter Confidence: A Local Matter?" In *Democracy in the States: Experiments in Elections Reform*, edited by Bruce Cain, Caroline Tolbert, and Todd Donovan. Washington DC: Brookings.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Nancy Carrillo and Mekoce Walker. 2006. "The New Mexico Presidential Race After BCRA," in *Dancing without Partners: How Candidates, Parties and Interest Groups Interact in the New Campaign Environment*," edited by David B. Magleby and J. Quin Monson, Roman and Littlefield.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Nancy Carrillo and Mekoce Walker. 2005. "The New Mexico Presidential Race After BCRA," in *Dancing without Partners: How Candidates, Parties and Interest Groups Interact in the New Campaign Environment*," edited by David B. Magleby and J. Quin Monson, Provo: Center for the Study of Elections and Democracy, Brigham Young University.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Nancy Carrillo. 2005. "De Ja Vu 2002: The New Mexico 1st Congressional District," in *Dancing without Partners: How Candidates, Parties and Interest Groups Interact in the New Campaign Environment*," edited by David B. Magleby and J. Quin Monson, Provo: Center for the Study of Elections and Democracy, Brigham Young University.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Nancy Carrillo and Margaret C. Toulouse. 2003. "The New Mexico 1st and 2nd Congressional District," in *The Last Hurrah? Soft Money and Issue Advocacy in the*

2002 Congressional Elections, edited by David B. Magleby and J. Quin Monson, Provo: Center for the Study of Elections and Democracy, Brigham Young University.

Reprinted in *PS*, E-Symposium, Fall 2003

Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Anthony C. Coveny. 2000. "1998 New Mexico's Third Congressional District Race" in *Outside Money: Soft Money and Issue Advocacy in the 1998 Congressional Elections*, edited by David Magleby, Rowman and Littlefield.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 1999. "From the Primaries to the General Election: Does a Divisive Nomination Race Affect a Candidates Fortunes in the Fall?" in *In Pursuit of the White House 2000*, edited by William G. Mayer, Chatham House.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Jay McCann, Ronald Rapoport and Walter J. Stone. 1996. "Citizens for Perot: Activists and Voters in the 1992 Presidential Campaign" in *Broken Contract? Changing Relationships between Citizens and Their Government in the United States*, edited by Stephen C. Craig, Westview Press.

Public Policy Reports, Amicus Curae Briefs, encyclopedia entries, and other non-peer reviewed items:

Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2004. "Executive Summary of Caucus Goers in New Mexico's First Ever Presidential Caucus," University of New Mexico.

Alvarez, R. Michael, Lonna Rae Atkeson, Thad E. Hall. 2007. "The New Mexico Election Administration Report: The 2006 New Mexico Election," typescript, University of New Mexico.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2007. "The 2006 New Mexico Election Administration Voter Report," University of New Mexico.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2007. "The 2006 Colorado Election Administration Voter Report," typescript, University of New Mexico.

Alvarez, R. Michael, Lonna Rae Atkeson, Delia Baker, Thad E. Hall, Andrew D. Martin. 2007. *Amicus Curae Social Science Brief to the US Supreme Court*, Crawford v. Marion City Election Board.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Patricia Jaramillo. 2007. "Primaries," in the *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd edition, edited by William A. Darity, Macmillan.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2007-Present. Contributor *The New Mexico Capitol Report*, Edited by Harold Morgan.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae, R. Michael Alvarez, Thad E. Hall, Lisa A. Bryant, Yann Kereval, Morgan Llewellyn, David Odegaard. 2008. "The 2008 New Mexico Post Election Audit Report," typescript, University of New Mexico."

Atkeson, Lonna Rae, R. Michael Alvarez, Thad E. Hall. 2009. "Provisional Voting in New Mexico," Pew Charitable Trusts, The Center for the States, *Provisional Ballots: An Imperfect Solution*, at: http://www.pewcenteronthestates.org/initiatives_detail.aspx?initiativeID=54789.

Adams, et al. 2009. Statement to the National Institute of Technology regarding Voluntary Voting Standard Guidelines in relation to post election audits, October 2009, available at: <http://www.amstat.org/outreach/electionauditingresources.cfm>.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Matt A. Barreto, Lorraine C. Minnite, Jonathan Nagler, Stephen A. Nuno and Gabriel Ramon Sanchez, 2009, *Amicus Curae Social Science Brief to the Indiana Supreme Court*, League of Women Voters of Indiana and leagues of Women Voters of Indianapolis v. Todd Rokita.

- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Alex Adams, Lisa Bryant, Angelina Gonzalez-Aller, Willard Hunter, Yann Kerevel, Kimberly Proctor, Lisa Sanchez and Lori Tafoya. 2010. "The City of Albuquerque 2009 Mayoral Election Administration Report," University of New Mexico.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. R. Michael Alvarez, Thad E. Hall. 2010. "Assessing Electoral Performance in New Mexico using an Eco-system Approach," University of New Mexico.

Book Reviews:

- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 1997. *What Americans Know About Politics and Why it Matters*, by Michael X. Delli Carpini and Scott Keeter. Book Review, *American Political Science Review* 91:452-453.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2002. *Learning by Voting*, by Rebecca B. Morton and Kenneth C. Williams. Book Review, *American Political Science Review* 96(3):648-49.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2004. *Models of Voting in Presidential Election: The 2000 US Election*, edited by Herbert Weisberg and Clyde Wilcox, Book Review, *Perspectives on Politics* 2(4):860-861.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae. 2010. *The Democracy Index*. Princeton: Princeton University Press by Heather Gerken. Review. *Political Science Quarterly* 25(1): 134-35.

GRANTS:

- 2010-2011 Bernalillo County, New Mexico, "2010 New Mexico Election Administration Project" (\$25000)
- 2008-2009 JEHT and Pew Charitable Trusts, Center on the States, Make Voting Work Initiative: "Assessing Electoral Performance in New Mexico using an Eco-system Approach," (\$186,000)
- 2008 Faculty Consultant, 2008 New Mexico Federal Elections, Pew Charitable Trusts
- 2008 Research Allocation Committee Grant, University of New Mexico, "Assessing Electoral Performance through a Mixed Mode (Internet and Mail) Survey Design" (\$4000)
- 2007-2009 Pew Charitable Trusts-JEHT Foundation, Make Voting Work Initiative, "Lessons for All in Determining Voter Intent and Election Integrity: A 2006 Post Election Audit Study of New Mexico's Optical Scan Ballots," with R. Michael Alvarez, Thad E. Hall and Maggie Toulouse Oliver, co-funded by the Bernalillo County Clerk and the New Mexico Secretary of State (\$202,926)
- 2007-2009 Pew Charitable Trusts-JEHT Foundation, Make Voting Work Initiative, "Auditing DRE Machines in Utah" with R. Michael Alvarez and Thad E. Hall. (\$87,523)
- 2007 National Science Foundation, (SES-0553081), Supplemental: "Who's to Blame? Public Perceptions of the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina" with Cherie Maestas (\$12726)
- 2006 Research Allocation Committee Grant, University of New Mexico, "Examining Voter Confidence in the 2006 Midterm Elections." (\$4,000).
- 2006 Faculty Consultant, 2006 Federal Elections, Pew Charitable Trusts
- 2005 National Science Foundation, (SES-0320585) "Who's to Blame? Public Perceptions of the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina." With Cherie Maestas (\$63,186)

- 2004 Faculty Consultant, "Federal Elections after the Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act," Pew Charitable Trusts
- 2004 Resource Allocation Committee Grant, University of New Mexico, "Examining Voter Learning, Information and Voter Choice In New Mexico's 2004 Democratic Presidential Caucus" (\$3800)
- 2003-2004 National Science Foundation (SES-0321438) "The Impact of Community Organizing on Political Engagement," with Nancy Carrillo, (\$12,000)
- 2002 Faculty Consultant, "Soft Money and Issue Advocacy in the 2002 Elections," Pew Charitable Trusts
- 1998 Faculty Consultant, "Undisclosed and Unregulated Money in Congressional Elections," Pew Charitable Trusts
- 1997 Feminist Research Institute, Small Research Grants, "Examining Differences between Male and Female Political Activity at the Mass and Elite Level," University of New Mexico
- 1992-93 National Science Foundation Grant (SES-9123337),"Research on the Divisive Nomination Campaign and its Effect on Individual Attitudes and Behavior During the General Election."
- 1993 Dean's Small Grant Award, "Political Commercial Advertising and its Link to Institutional Expectations" with Randall W. Partin
- 1992 Graduate Student Research and Creative Work Award, University of Colorado
- 1991-92 University Doctoral Fellowship
- 1989-91 Colorado Graduate Student Grant
- 1987 Undergraduate Research Mini-grant, University of California, Riverside

AWARDS:

- 2010 Jack Taylor Best in Government Award, presented by Common Cause New Mexico
- 2010 Fellowship, Political Methodology Conference, Society for Political Methodology, University of Iowa
- 2009 Award for "Outstanding Initiative in Promoting Election Integrity" presented by Verified Voting New Mexico and United Voters of New Mexico
- 2008 Fellowship, Political Methodology Conference, Society for Political Methodology. University Of Michigan
- 2007 Fall Teaching Support, College of Arts and Sciences, University of New Mexico.
- 2006 Fellowship, Political Methodology Conference, Society for Political Methodology, University of California, Davis
- 2006 Gunter-Starkey College of Arts and Sciences Teaching Award, University of New Mexico
- 2001-2004 Regents' Lecturer, University of New Mexico
- 2000 College of Arts and Sciences Research Semester Award, University of New Mexico, Spring 2000
- 1998 Emerging Scholar Award, Political Parties and Organizations Section, American Political Science Association
- 1995 Social Science Dissertation Enhancement Award, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Colorado

COURSES TAUGHT:

Undergraduate

Introduction to American Politics
Public Opinion and Political Behavior
Women in American Politics
Junior Honors Seminar

Introduction to Political Research

Graduate

Public Opinion and Electoral Behavior
American Politics Pro-seminar
Introduction to Statistics
Topics in Advanced Research Methods: Linear
Structural Equation Modeling
Introduction to Methods of Political Science
Research/Scope and Methods

TEACHING & RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Public Opinion & Political Behavior
Campaigns & Elections
Research Design
Election Administration/Public Policy
Political Parties
Race and Ethnicity

Media & Politics
Gender & Politics
State Politics/New Mexico Politics
American Politics
Political Psychology
Political Methodology

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS:

Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Yann Kerevel. 2009. "Dragging the Ticket Down: The Influence of the Vice President on Vote Choice. Submitted.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae & Cherie Maestas, "Racing to the Front: The Influence of Presidential Primary Frontloading on Presidential Primary Turnout."

Atkeson, Lonna Rae, R. Michael Alvarez, Thad E. Hall. 2009. "Trust in Elections and Trust in Government: Why Voter Confidence Differs from Other Measures of System Support,"

Atkeson, Lonna Rae & Wendy L. Hansen, "News and Views: An Examination of US and Japanese Attitudes toward US-Japan Trade Relations."

Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Cherie D. Maestas. "Diluting the Blame: The Role of Attributions in Accountability."

Alvarez, R. Michael. Lonna Rae Atkeson, Andrew Sinclair, Thad E. Hall. "Keeping Voting Safe: Voter Attitudes Toward Voter Access Versus Voter Integrity."

Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Yann Kerevel, R. Michael Alvarez, Thad E. Hall, "Who Asks for Voter Identification?" Submitted.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Invited Talks and Participation:

Computer Science Department, University of New Mexico, September 17, 2010.

“Thinking about Politics: The Role of Gender,” Metro Federated Republican Women, July 14, 2010, Seasons Restaurant, Albuquerque

“Gender of Interviewer and Gender-Related Attitudes in Morocco: A Field Experiment” by Lindsay Benstead, Discussant, Society for Political Methodology, University of Iowa, Iowa City, July 22-24, 2010.

“Who is Asked and Who Asks for Voter ID,” UT-Pan Am, April 29, 2010.

"How Crisis Shapes Attitudes: Hurricane Katrina, External Efficacy and Public Confidence in Government," Visions in Methodology Conference, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, March 18-20, 2010 with Cherie Maestas.

“New Mexico Politics,” US State Department, A Discussion with Foreign Journalists, Albuquerque, NM, January 26, 2010

“Election Auditing and Statistics,” American Statistical Association, Washington DC, October 23-24, 2009.

“From Red to Blue: The 2008 Federal Elections in New Mexico,” presented at The Change Election: Money, Mobilization, and Persuasion in the 2008 Federal Elections, Washington DC, June 22-23, 2009 with Michael Rocca.

“Auditing the Election Ecosystem,” Conference on US Election Reform,” University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, May 9-10, 2009, with Thad E. Hall and R. Michael Alvarez.

“Election Audit Workshop,” University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah, February 9-10, 2009.

“Thinking Critically about Election Audits,” Brookings Institute, Washington DC, January 6, 2009.

“Principles of Election Audits,” presented at Voting in America – The Road Ahead, sponsored by Pew Charitable Trusts Center on the States and the JEHT Foundation’s Make Voting Work Initiative, Newseum, Washington DC, December 8-10, 2008 with County Clerk Maggie Toulouse Oliver.

“Election Audits,” presented at the National Conference of State Legislatures, New Orleans, Louisiana, July 22, 2008.

Invited Participant, Political Methodology Conference, Ann Arbor, Michigan, July 9-13, 2008.

“The Evolution of the Presidential Nominating System,” Keynote Speaker, Fulbright Fellowship Seminar, US State Department, March 14, 2008, Bernalillo, New Mexico

“Racing to the Front: The Influence of Presidential Primary Frontloading on Presidential Primary Turnout” at Reforming the Presidential Nomination Process, hosted by the Department of Political Science, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, January 3-4, 2008.

“Voter Confidence: The Micro Experience,” presented at the First Tuesday Forums on American Democracy and Elections at the University of Arizona, Department of Political Science, October 2, 2007.

“New Barriers to Voter Participation: An Examination of New Mexico’s Voter Identification Law,” University of Arizona, October 2, 2007.

Panelist, Press Conference, *War Games: Issues and Resources in the Battle for Control of Congress*, Washington DC, February 2-3, 2007, Pew Charitable Trusts.

“Voter Confidence: A Local Matter?” at “The Future of Election Reform and Ethics in the State,” hosted by Kent State University, Department of Political Science, Columbus, Ohio, January 16-17, 2007 with Kyle Saunders.

Workshop on Voting Technology and Practices, hosted by the Center for the Study of Elections and Democracy at Brigham Young University and the Center for American Politics and Citizenship at the University of Maryland, Salt Lake City, May 7, 2007.

Invited Participant, Political Methodology Conference, Davis California, July 20-23, 2006

Invited Participant, Federal 2006 Congressional Election Conference, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, June 22-23, 2006.

“Voter Decision-Making on the Heels of Iowa and New Hampshire,” at “Exploring the Western Presidential Primary Option,” hosted by the Western Policy Research Network at the University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah September 28-29, 2006.

“Soft Money and Issue Advocacy in the 2002 Elections,” Roswell High School, Roswell, New Mexico.

"More Errors in Voting Behavior: Overreport of Vote for the Party Nominee in the National Election Studies," Institute for Public Policy, University of New Mexico, July 1997.

“Thinking and Discussing Politics: The Role of Gender," Feminist Research Institute, University of New Mexico, December 5, 1997.

Participant, Press Conference on “The Role of Soft Money in the 1998 Federal Elections,” Washington DC, February 1, 1999.

American Association of University Women, University of Colorado, 1994.

Conference Participation:

2010 “Attribution of Blame and Hurricane Katrina” presented at the American Political Science Association’s Annual meeting, Washington DC, DATE

2010 “Assessing Data Quality across Probability Samples: An Examination of a Post General Election Mixed-Mode (Internet and Mail) and Telephone Survey,” presented at the American Association of Public Opinion Research, May 13-16, Chicago, Illinois with Alex N. Adams and R. Michael Alvarez.

2010 “Who Asks for Voter ID,” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association, April 22-25, Chicago, Illinois with Yann Kerevel.

2010 “Mixed Mode (Internet and Mail) Probability Samples and Survey Representativeness: The Case of New Mexico 2008,” presented at the Western Political Science Association, April 1-3, San Francisco, California, with Alex N. Adams.

2010 “Elections and Happiness: The Effect of Electoral Institutions on Life Satisfaction,” presented at the Western Political Science Association, April 1-3, San Francisco, California, with Alex N. Adams.

2009 “Affective Attributions: Shock, Anxiety, and Attribution of Blame during Crisis Events,” presented at the American Political Science Association, September 2-5, Toronto, Canada, with Cherie Maestas.

2009 “Do Vice Presidents influence Vote choice?” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago Illinois, April 1-4, with Yann Kerevel and Lisa Bryant.

2009 “Are They the Same or Different? An Examination of Trust in Government, External Efficacy and Voter Confidence” Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago Illinois, April 1-4, with R. Michael Alvarez and Thad E. Hall.

2008 “External Efficacy and Hurricane Katrina,” presented at the American Political Science Association, Boston, Massachusetts,” August, with Cherie D. Maestas.

2008 “Election Auditing,” presented at the American Political Science Association, Boston, Massachusetts August 2008 with R. Michael Alvarez, Thad Hall, Lisa Bryant, Yann Kerevel, Morgan Llewellyn.

- 2008 “Voter Attitudes toward Voter Identification,” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2-4, 2008, Chicago, Illinois.
- 2007 “New Barriers to Participation: An Examination of the Application of Voter ID Laws in New Mexico’s 2006 Election” presented at the American Political Science Association, August 29-September 2, Chicago, Illinois, with Lisa Bryant, Kyle Saunders, Thad Hall, R. Michael Alvarez.
- 2007 “Using Mixed Mode Surveys (Internet and Mail) to Examine General Election Voters” presented at the American Association for Public Opinion Research, May 17-20, 2007, Anaheim, California with Luciana Zilberman, Alexander Adams and Kyle Saunders.
- 2007 “Who’s Responsible? Federalism and Hurricane Katrina,” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association,” April 12-15, Chicago, Illinois, with Cherie Maestas.
- 2007 “Voter Confidence: A Local Matter?” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association,” April 12-15, Chicago, Illinois, with Kyle Saunders.
- 2007 “Authors Meet Students: A Critical Assessment of Ronald Rapoport and Walter J. Stone’s *Three’s a Crowd*,” presented at the Southwest Political Science Association, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 12-15.
- 2006 “Hurricane Katrina and Framing the Blame Game,” Cherie Maestas, presented at the American Political Science Association, August 30-September 3, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania with Cherie Maestas.
- 2006 “Threat, Anxiety and Political Engagement,” Lonna Rae Atkeson and Patricia Jaramillo, presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association, April 12-15, 2006, San Antonio, Texas with Patricia Jaramillo.
- 2006 “Race, Media, and the Evaluation of Government Response to Hurricane Katrina,” presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association, April 12-15, 2006, San Antonio, Texas with Cherie Maestas.
- 2006 “Examining Gender Bias in Press Coverage of Mayoral Races,” presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 16-18, 2006, Albuquerque New Mexico with Timothy Krebs.
- 2006 Discussant/chair, “Public Opinion in Comparative Perspective,” Western Political Science Association’s Annual Meeting, March 16-18, 2006, Albuquerque, New Mexico
- 2005 “Internet Polls and Political Activists,” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association,” April 6-8, Chicago, Illinois, with Lori Tafoya.
- 2005 “Threat and Political Engagement in Presidential Nomination Politics,” presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association, March 23-26, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- 2004 “Nomination Turnout and Frontloading,” presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 11-13, Portland, Oregon with Cherie Maestas.
- 2004 “Press Coverage in Mayoral Elections: Is there a Gender Bias? Lonna Rae Atkeson and Timothy Krebs, presented at the American Political Sciences Association, August, Washington DC.
- 2003 “Frontloading and Presidential Primary Voting,” presented at the American Political Science Association, August, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania with Cherie Maestas.
- 2003 “Not All Cues are Created Equal: The Conditional Impact of Female Candidates on Political Engagement,” presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association, April 16-19, San Antonio, Texas.

- 2003 “Soft Money and Issue Advocacy in the New Mexico Federal Races in 2003,” presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 26-29, Denver, Colorado with Nancy Carrillo and Maggie Toulouse.
- 2002 “Divisive Primaries and National Party Unity,” presented at the American Political Science Association, August 28-September 1, Boston, Massachusetts with Audrey Haynes and Paul Gurrian.
- 2002 “Explaining Presidential Divisive Primaries,” presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association, March 27-30, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- 2001 “More is Better: The Impact of Female Representation on Citizen Attitudes Toward Government Responsiveness,” presented at the American Political Science Association, August 27-30, San Francisco, California, with Nancy B. Carrillo.
- 2001 “The Influence of the Mass Media on US and Japanese Attitudes toward US-Japan Trade Relations,” presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association, March 23-25, Ft. Worth, Texas, with Wendy L. Hansen.
- 2000 “Descriptive Representation and External Efficacy,” presented at the International Society for Political Psychology, July 1-4, Seattle, Washington with Nancy Carrillo,
- 2000 Discussant, “Senate and Gubernatorial Candidates,” presented at the Midwestern Political Science Association, April 27-29, Chicago, Illinois.
- 2000 “Political Communication: The Dimension of Federalism,” presented at the Midwestern Political Science Association, April 27-29, Chicago, Illinois, with Randall Partin.
- 2000 “Increasing External Efficacy: The Importance of Gender Diversity in State Legislatures” presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 24-26, San Jose, California with Nancy Carrillo.
- 2000 Panelist, Roundtable on Presidential Primaries, presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 24-26, San Jose, California
- 2000 Panelist, Roundtable on Presidential Primaries presented at the Southwestern Social Science Association’s Annual Meeting March 16-18, Galveston, Texas.
- 2000 “Sects and Politics,” presented at the Southwestern Social Science Association, March 16-18, Galveston, Texas with Joseph Stewart, Jr.
- 1999 “Dividing the Flock: Religion and Political Participation” presented at the American Political Science Association, September 1-5, Atlanta, Georgia with Joseph Stewart, Jr.
- 1999 Participant, Political Methodology Summer Conference, July 15-18.
- 1999 Panelist, Roundtable on “Issue Ads, Party Soft Money and Independent Expenditures,” participant at the Western Political Science Association, March 24-March 26 in Seattle, Washington.
- 1998 “The Three Legs of the Gubernatorial and Senate Elections: Voters, The Media and Candidates” presented at the American Political Science Association, Boston, September 2-5, Massachusetts with Randall Partin.
- 1998 Discussant Panel and Chair on "The Dynamics of Primaries" presented at the Western Political Science Association, March, Los Angeles, CA.
- 1998 "Thinking and Discussing Politics: The Role of Gender" presented at the Western Political Science Association, Los Angeles, CA
- 1997 Discussant, Panel on "Public Opinion and Public Policy" at the American Political Science Association, August 27-August 31, Washington, D.C.

- 1997 "American and Japanese Attitudes toward US-Japan Trade Relations" poster presented at the American Political Science Association, Washington DC with Wendy L. Hansen.
- 1997 "Are they Different or are they the Same? An Examination of Male and Female Political Activists" presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association, March 23-26, New Orleans, Louisiana, with Linda Crawford.
- 1997 Chair/Discussant Panel on "Nomination Politics" at the Western Political Science Association, March 13-15 Tucson, Arizona.
- 1996 "The Relationship between Presidential Divisive Primaries and General Election Outcomes" presented at the Workshop on Presidential Nominations at the Southern Political Science Association, November 6-9, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 1996 "Divisive Primaries and General Election Outcomes: Another Look at Presidential Campaigns" poster presented at the American Political Science Association, August 28 - September 1, San Francisco, California.
- 1996 "Persuading Voters: Federalism and Paid Election Advertisements in Senate and Governor's Races" presented at the 1996 Western Political Science Association, March 13-16, San Francisco, California, with Randall Partin.
- 1995 Discussant/Chair: Panel on "Voting, Issues, and Campaigns" at the Western Political Science Association, March 16-19, Portland, Oregon.
- 1995 Panelist, "Roundtable, 1994 Midterm Elections" at the Western Political Science Association, March 16-19, Portland, Oregon.
- 1994 "Presidential Nomination Campaigns and General Elections: The Divisive Primary Hypothesis Revisited" presented at the American Political Science Association, September 1-4, New York, New York.
- 1994 "A Simulation Model of Presidential Nomination Choice" presented at the European Consortium for Political Science Research, April 12-16, Madrid, Spain, with Walter J. Stone, and Ronald Rapoport.
- 1994 "A Re-Examination of the Divisive Nomination Hypothesis" presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 10-13, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 1993 "The Perot Campaign: Volunteers and Voters" presented at the American Political Science Association, September 2-5, Washington DC. with Walter J. Stone, Ronald Rapoport, Jay McCann, and Randall Partin.
- 1993 Discussant: Panel on "Candidate Recruitment and the Nomination Process" at the Western Political Science Association, March 18-20, Pasadena, California.
- 1993 "Economic Voting: A Comparison of Gubernatorial and Senate Elections" presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 18-20, Pasadena, California with Randall W. Partin.
- 1992 "Divisive Nomination Campaigns: An Experimental Look at Attitude Change during a Simulated Presidential Campaign," presented at the American Political Science Association, September 3-6, Chicago, Illinois.
- 1992 "Gender and Choice in Presidential Nomination Campaigns," presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 19-21, San Francisco, California.
- 1991 "Candidate Choice on Super Tuesday: An Expected Utility Approach," presented at the American Political Science Association, August 29 - September 1, Washington DC with Walter J. Stone and Sean Q. Kelly.

- 1991 "Moving Toward Unity: Attitudes in the Nomination and General Election Stages of the Campaign," presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 21-24, Seattle, Washington.
- 1991 "An Expected Utility Model of Nomination Choice," presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 21-24, Seattle, Washington with Walter J. Stone and Ronald Rapoport.
- 1990 "The Carryover Effect Revisited: Mobilization and Demobilization Effects of Presidential Nomination Campaigns," presented at the Western Political Science Association, March 21-23, Newport Beach, California with Walter J. Stone.

Professional Service:

Selected Media Appearances and Interviews:

KNME Election Night Coverage, November 2, 2010
National Public Radio, All Things Considered, June 8, 2010
PBS Interview, In Focus New Mexico Politics, June 5, 2008; January 8, 2010; May 2010; August 21, 2010, October 2010
 KSFR Interview, *National Public Radio*, Voter Identification Study, February 2009.
 PBS Interview, *In Focus*, New Mexico Politics, November 6, 2008
 PBS Interview, *The Line*, CD3 Debate Coverage, October, 2008
 PBS Interview, *The Line*, CD1 Debate Coverage, October, 2008
 PBS Interviewer, Expert Guest, *Lehrer News*, New Mexico Coverage, October 2008
 KNBC Guest, *Eye on New Mexico*, September, 2008
 KOAT Primary Nightly News & Election Report, Primary Election Expert, June 3, 2008.
Meet the Press, Divisive Primary Research Discussed by Tim Russert, April 1, 2008
 PBS Interview, *In Focus: New Mexico Politics*, March 2008, KNME
 PBS Interview, *The Line: Super Tuesday*, February 5, 2008, KNME.
 PBS Interview, *The Line: January 21*, 2008.
 PBS interview guest, *The Line*, Albuquerque, New Mexico, June 29, 2007.
 PBS interview guest, *The Line*, November 7, 2006.
 PBS interview guest, *The Line*, October, 2006.
 PBS interview, *In Focus*, Topic: New Mexico Federal and State Elections, October, 2004
 NBC Interview, *The Today Show*, 2004 Presidential Election, June, 2004
 PBS interview, *In Focus*, Topic: New Mexico Federal and State Elections, October, 2004
 "University Of New Mexico Showcase Interview," KUNM, November 1, 2002.
 PBS interview, *In Focus*, Topic: Negative Advertising in New Mexico Elections, Albuquerque, New Mexico, October 30, 1998
 Numerous (100s of) interviews with local, national and international print, radio, and TV journalists (1996, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010)
 (Outlets include (selected list): Minnesota Public Radio, New Mexico Public Radio, *Washington Post*, *New York Times*, Vermont Public Radio, *The News Hour*, *Salon.com*, *The Nation*, *USA Today*, *Albuquerque Journal*, *Albuquerque Tribune*, *Santa Fe New Mexican*, *Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*, *Atlanta Journal Constitution*, *Denver Post*, AP Reporters, *New Mexico Independent*, BBC, the *Washington Monthly*, *ABC News*, Delaware Talk News, *Congressional Quarterly*, etc.

Department/University Committee Work/Service:

Senate Graduate Committee, Fall 2006-Spring 2008

Chair, University Honorary Degree Committee, AY 2006-07, 2007-08
Director, Legislative Internship Program, Fall 2005-present
Director, Department Honors Program, Fall 2002 - Fall 2007
Chair, faculty hiring committee American Politics/Public Policy, Fall 2006–Spring 2007
Faculty hiring committee, American Politics, Fall 2004/spring 2005
Graduate Committee, 2003-2004
Regents' Lecturer Appointment Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, University of New Mexico, 2004
Chair, faculty hiring committee, American Politics/Public Law, spring 2004
Faculty hiring committee, American Politics, summer 2003
Political Methodology Committee, Chair 2002
Faculty hiring committee, American Politics/Public Policy, 2001
Steering Committee, Institute for Public Policy, 2001, 2002
College of Arts and Sciences, Research Semester Review Committee
Department Roper Center Representative
Undergraduate Committee 1997-98
Executive Committee, 1997, 1998, 2001, 2004
Reader for Methodology Comprehensive Exam, Fall 1999, Fall 2000, Summer 2009
Organized Methodology Comprehensive Exam, Fall 2000, Summer 2009
Organized American Comprehensive Exam Fall 1998, 2001, 2002, 2004; Spring 1997, 2000, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2008
Reader for American Comprehensive Exam Fall 1996, 1998, 2001, 2002; Spring 1997, 2000, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2008
Faculty hiring committee, American Politics, State and Local, 1996
Faculty hiring committee, American Politics/Public Law, 1995
Computer Lab Committee, 1995

Ph.D. Dissertation Committees:

Kim Proctor

Janet Box-Steffensmeier ICPSR Summer Fellowship Award, 2010

Lisa Bryant (Chair)

Yann Kerevel (Co-Chair)

IFES Fellowship Summer 2009

Prakash Adhikari

Justin Delacour (Chair)

Lori Tafoya (Chair)

Clogg Fellowship ICPSR, Summer 2004

Nancy Carrillo (Chair, Ph.D. July 2008)

Anthony Coveny (Chair, Ph.D. May 2002)

Francois Gullineau (Co-chair, Ph.D. December 2002)

Assistant Professor, University of Leval, Canada

Received Popejoy Dissertation Award, 2004

Jennifer Espey (Ph.D 1998)

Undergraduate Honors Theses

Vincent Ward, 1997

Maggie Toulouse 2001
 John Sugg, 2004 (Chair)
 Southwestern Political Science Association Best Undergraduate Paper, Corpus Christi, Texas
 Maureen Shaw 2004
 Sean Romero 2004 (Chair)
 Mekoce Walker 2005
 Southwestern Political Science Association Best Undergraduate Paper, San Antonio, Texas
 Dahlia Dorman 2006 (Chair)
 Jacqueline Belding 2006 (Chair)
 Kevin Pierce 2006 (Chair)
 Lisa Bryant 2006 (Chair)
 Scott Darnell 2007 (Chair)
 Alex Adams 2007 (Chair)
 Jamie Gonzales 2007
 David Odegard 2009 (Chair)

Manuscript Referee/Editorial Boards (30+/year):

<i>American Political Science Review</i>	<i>British Journal of Politics</i>
<i>American Journal of Political Science</i>	<i>Politics and Policy</i>
<i>American Politics Quarterly</i>	<i>Gender and Politics</i>
<i>American Politics Review</i>	<i>Political Analysis</i>
<i>Political Research Quarterly</i>	<i>Social Science Quarterly</i>
<i>Journal of Politics</i>	<i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i>
Editorial Board Member, 2009-2011	Editorial Board Member, 2001-2003
<i>Legislative Studies Quarterly</i>	<i>Perspectives on Politics</i>
<i>The Policy Studies Journal</i>	<i>Political Behavior</i>
<i>Women and Politics</i>	<i>Electoral Studies</i>
<i>Journal of Theoretical Politics</i>	<i>Southeastern Political Review</i>
<i>Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties</i>	<i>Journal of Women, Politics and Policy</i>

Grant Referee:

National Science Foundation, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2000, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2009 (Fall & Spring)
 Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences, 2003, 2010

Associations and Association Service:

American Political Science Association
 Member, 2007 APSA Sullivan Award Committee (Best Graduate Student Paper),
 Public Opinion and Voting Behavior
 Member, 2007 APSA Best Paper Award Committee Elections, Public Opinion
 and Voting Behavior,
 Council Member, Political Organizations and Parties, 2006-2008

Section Chair, Elections, Voting Behavior and Public Opinion, 2007
 Chair, Emerging Scholar Award, Political Parties and Organizations Section,
 American Political Science Association, 2007
 Council Member, State Party and Politics, 2003-2004
 Council Member, Elections, Public Opinion and Voting Behavior, 1998-2000
 Southern Political Science Association
 Editorial Board Member, *Journal of Politics*, 2009-2010
 American Association for Public Opinion Research
 International Society for Political Psychology
 Western Political Science Association
 Committee on Professional Ethics, 2004-2005
 Member, Charles Redd Award Paper Committee, 2003-2004
 Program Committee, Political Parties, 2003-2004
 Chair, Betty Nesvold Women and Politics Award, 1999-2000
 Program Committee, Voting and Elections, 1998-1999
 Nomination Committee, 1999-2000
 Midwest Political Science Association
 Best Paper by an Emerging Scholar Award Committee, 2006-2007
 Society For Political Methodology
 Chair, Committee on Undergraduate and Graduate Methods, Society for Political
 Methodology, 2006-2007
 Member, Long Range Planning Committee, 2010-2012
 Southwestern Political Science Association
 President, 2006-2007
 President Elect, 2005-2006
 Southwestern Social Science Association Nomination Committee, 2002-2005,
 Nomination Committee Chair 2003-2004, 2004-2005
 Nomination Committee Chair, 2002-2003, 2003-2004
 Nomination Committee, 2001-2004
 Vice President and Program Chair, 2001-2002
 Vice President Elect, 2000-2001
 Chair, Pi Sigma Alpha Award for Best Paper, Political Science Program, 2000
 Council Member, 1999-2000
 Program Committee, Political Parties and Interest Groups, 1997

Other Service:

Reviewer, Tenure and Promotion files, University of Kentucky, University of Georgia,
 Colorado State University, University of North Carolina-Charlotte

Community Service (selected):

Judge, We the People Civics Contest, December 11, 2010 Capitol Building, Santa Fe,
 New Mexico
 Speaker, Albuquerque Republican Federation of Women, July 2010
 Speaker, Women's Press of Albuquerque, November, 2008
 PBS Town Hall Meeting with Lehrer News, Panelist, October 2008
 Speaker, "Does Your Vote Count?" League of Women Voters, Albuquerque, New
 Mexico, October, 2006

Help America Vote Act, New Mexico Advisory Commission, Member, Spring-Summer 2003

Panel member, "Expanding Democracy," presented by the Albuquerque League of Women Voters, April, 1998.

Presentation on Campaign Finance Reform for the Campaign Finance and Reform Committee of the New Mexico State Legislature, July 30, 1999

OTHER EXPERIENCE:

Consultant, Penny Adrian for Judge, Summer 2006

Consultant, Duran, Giles and Rappaport vs The City of Albuquerque, Summer 2001

Consultant, Modrall, Sperling, Roehl, Harris and Sisk, September-November, 1999

Expert Witness: The People versus Nathan Dunlap, Change of Venue Motion, 1995

Public Opinion Research Analyst, various election campaigns, 1994, Talmey-Drake Research and Strategy, Inc. Paul Harstedt, Project Director, Boulder, Colorado

REFERENCES:

Available upon request.