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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, August 2006 – present.

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, August 2001 – August 2006.

Tower Fellow, John G. Tower Center for International Studies and Department of Political Science, Southern Methodist University, August 2000 – August 2001.

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science, Texas A&M University, August 2000. Major fields: International Relations, Comparative Politics, Foreign Policy Analysis.

B.A., International Relations, Brigham Young University, 1990.

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles:

“Can We Generalize from Student Experiments to the Real World in Political Science, Military Affairs and International Relations.” 2006. *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 50:757-776. (with A. Mintz and A. Vedlitz).

“The Influence of Advisers and Decision Strategies on Foreign Policy Choices: President Clinton’s Decision to Use Force in Kosovo.” 2005. *International Studies Perspectives* 6:129-150.

“Bureaucrats vs. the Ballot Box in Foreign Policy Decision Making: An Experimental Analysis of the Bureaucratic Politics Model and the Poliheuristic Theory.” 2004. *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 48 (1):69-90. (with E. Christensen).

“Framing Effects in International Relations.” 2003. *Synthese* 135:193-213. (with A. Mintz).

“Identifying Conditions for an Israel-Syria Peace: A Game Theoretic Analysis.” 2003. *Journal of Public Policy* 13:253-279.

“The Influence of Advisers on Foreign Policy Decision Making: An Experimental Study.” 2002. *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 46 (3):335-364.

“The Effect of Dynamic and Static Choice Sets on Political Decision Making: An Analysis Using the Decision Board Platform.” 1997. *American Political Science Review* 91 (September): 553-66. (with A. Mintz, N. Geva, and A. Carnes).

Book Chapters:

“United States of America.” 2005. In *Defense and Security: A Compendium of National Armed Forces and Security Policies*, ed. K. DeRouen and U. Heo. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO.

“The Poliheuristic Theory of Foreign Policy Decision Making: Experimental Evidence.” 2003. In *Integrating Cognitive and Rational Theories of Foreign Policy Decision Making*, ed. A. Mintz. Palgrave.

“Framing and the Poliheuristic Theory of Decision: The United Fruit Company and the 1954 U.S.-Led Coup in Guatemala.” 2003. In *Integrating Cognitive and Rational Theories of Foreign Policy Decision Making*, ed. A. Mintz. Palgrave. (with M. Taylor-Robinson).

“Introduction: A Framework for Analysis.” 2000. In *Historical Encyclopedia of U.S. Presidential Use of Force, 1789-2000*, ed. K. DeRouen, Jr. Greenwood Press. (with K. DeRouen, Jr., and P. Weizer). Also includes 22 solo entries and 1 coauthored entry for the *Encyclopedia*.

“Decisionmaking on War and Peace: Challenges for Future Research.” 1997. In *Decisionmaking on War and Peace: The Cognitive-Rational Debate*, eds. N. Geva and A. Mintz. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner Publishers. (with N. Geva and A. Mintz).

Book Reviews:

Redd, Steven B. 2006. “Book Review: *The Ideological Origins of Great Power Politics, 1789-1989* (by Mark L. Haas).” *Perspectives on Politics* Forthcoming.

Reports:

Decision-Making Under Conditions of Uncertainty: Experimental Assessment of Decision Models. 2005. A Report to the National Defense University by the Institute for Science, Technology and Public Policy in the George Bush School of Government and Public Service, Texas A&M University. (with A. Vedlitz, A. Mintz, X. Liu and L. Alston).

WORK IN PROGRESS

Journal Articles:

“Ethnic Minority Groups and U.S. Foreign Policy: An Experimental Study,” (with T. Rubenzer). Revise and Resubmit at *Foreign Policy Analysis*.

“Ethnic Minority Groups and U.S. Foreign Policy: Examining Congressional Decision Making,” (with T. Rubenzer). In progress.

“Foreign Policy Decision Making and Antiterrorism Strategies: An Experimental Examination of Foreign Policy Elites,” (with A. Mintz, and A. Vedlitz). In progress.

“Satisficing Guaranteed?: An Experimental Examination of Decision Strategies and Choice in Foreign Policy Crises.” In progress.

“Emotions and Foreign Policy Decision Making,” (with N. Geva). In progress.

“Structural Frames in Advisory Group Settings: Implications for Process and Outcomes in Foreign Policy Decision Making,” (with N. Geva). In progress.

“The Dominance of Political Advice in Foreign Policy Decision Making: Experimental Evidence on Foreign Policy Choice,” (with N. Geva). In progress.

Book and Book Chapters:

Advances in Foreign Policy Analysis, editor (with A. Mintz). Palgrave. In progress.

“Conclusion: The Contributions of Differing Theoretical and Methodological Approaches to Foreign Policy Analysis.” Chapter to appear in *Advances in Foreign Policy Analysis*, ed. A. Mintz and Steven B. Redd. Palgrave. In progress.

“Explaining U.S. Policy Towards China and Taiwan.” Revised conference paper to be included in an edited book proposal to Palgrave or Routledge.

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

“Ethnic Minority Groups and U.S. Foreign Policy: Examining Congressional Decision Making,” (with T. Rubenzer). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, San Diego, California, March 21-25, 2006.

Participant (with Marijke Breuning, Ralph Carter, and A. Cooper Drury) on roundtable entitled “Professional Development Roundtable: Don’t Get it Right, Get it Published: Publishing and Career Survival,” at the 2005 annual meeting of the International Studies Association-Midwest, St. Louis, Missouri, October 21-22.

“Explaining U.S. Policy Towards China and Taiwan.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Honolulu, Hawaii, March 2-5, 2005.

Participant (with Betty Hanson, Patrick James, Jack S. Levy, Bruce Russett, and Eric K. Stern) on roundtable entitled “Foreign Policy Analysis Distinguished Scholar Panel Honoring Alex Mintz,” at the 2005 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Honolulu, Hawaii, March 2-5.

“Ethnic Minority Groups and U.S. Foreign Policy: An Experimental Study” (with T. Rubenzer). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, April 7-10.

“Effects of Terror and Emotions on Foreign Policy Decision Processes” (with N. Geva and K. Mosher). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Lund, Sweden, July 15-18, 2004.

“Implications of International Terror and Emotions for Information Processes in Foreign Policy Decisions” (with N. Geva and K. Mosher). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, April 15-18, 2004.

“International Terror, Emotions, and Foreign Policy Decision Making” (with N. Geva and K. Mosher). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, March 17-20, 2004.

Participant (with Mark Boyer, Eben Christensen, Ray Dacey, Pat James, Julie Kaarbo, and Alex Mintz) on roundtable entitled “The Poliheuristic Theory of Foreign Policy Decision Making,” at the 2004 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, September 2-5.

“Bureaucrats versus the Ballot box in Foreign Policy Decision Making: An Experimental Analysis of the Bureaucratic Politics Model and the Poliheuristic Theory” (with E. Christensen). Paper presented at the Gilman Conference on New Directions in International Relations, Yale University, February 21-23, 2003 (Invited presentation).

“‘Where You Stand Depends on Where You Think They Sit’: An Experimental Analysis of the Bureaucratic Politics Model,” (with E. Christensen). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Portland, Oregon, February 25-March 1, 2003.

“Rejecting the Dull Hypothesis: Making Undergraduate Research Methods Courses Interesting.” Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, April 3-6, 2003.

“The Dominance of Political Advice in Foreign Policy Decision Making: Experimental Evidence on Foreign Policy Choice,” (with N. Geva). Paper presented at the 2002 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 24-27.

Participant (with V. Hudson, D. Gerner, A. Mintz, E. Stern, D. Sylvan, and S. Walker) on roundtable entitled “Bridging International Relations and Comparative Politics Through Foreign Policy Analysis,” 2002 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 24-27, 2002.

“Structural Frames in Advisory Group Settings: Implications for Process and Outcomes in Foreign Policy Decision Making,” (with N. Geva). Paper presented at the 2001 Hong Kong International Convention, Hong Kong, China, July 26-28.

“The Relationship Between Advisers, Decision Strategies, and Foreign Policy Choices: President Clinton’s Decision to Use Force in Kosovo,” Paper presented at the 2001 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Chicago, Illinois, February 20-24.

“The Influence of Advisers on Decision Strategies and Presidential Uses of Force: An Experimental Analysis Using Process Tracing Techniques,” Paper presented at the 2000 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Los Angeles, California, March 14-18.

“The Use of the Decision Board Software in Researching and Teaching Political Decision Making,” (with A. Mintz). Poster presented at the 1999 annual meeting of the Political Methodology Society, Texas A&M University, July 15-17.

“The Poliheuristic Theory of Foreign Policy Decision Making: Experimental Evidence,” Paper presented at the 1999 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Washington, D.C., February 16-21.

Participant (with V. Hudson, N. Geva, J. Hagan, M. Hermann, H. Milner, T. Preston, E. Stern) on Roundtable Theme of “Moving Beyond Description in Foreign Policy Decision Making Studies: The Question of Theoretical Integration,” held at the 1999 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Washington, D.C., February 16-21.

“The Poliheuristic Theory of Decision: Linking Choice to Decision Processes,” Paper presented at the 3rd Regional Graduate Student Conference on “Methodological Approaches to the Study of Foreign Policy,” Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas, October 31, 1998.

“Linking Choice to Decision Processes: Utilizing Process Tracing Methods in Foreign Policy Analysis,” Poster presented at the 1998 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, Massachusetts, September 3-6.

“Two-Level Games and the Israel-Syria Peace Process: Only ‘Bibi’ Can Go to Damascus.” Presented at the 1997 annual meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 26-29.

“Two-Level Games and the Shift from Myopic to Nonmyopic Equilibria: Netanyahu and the Israel-Syria Peace Process.” Presented at the 1997 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Toronto, Canada, March 18-22.

The Three Rs of Foreign Policy Decision Making: A Computational Model,” (with N. Geva and J. Mayhar). Presented at the 1997 annual meeting of International Studies Association, Toronto, Canada, March 18-22.

“Locating, Downloading and Using Databases on the Internet,” (with A. Mintz, L. Reitmeyer, and J. Mayhar). Presented at the conference on “The Internet as an Agent for Global Change,” sponsored by the Program in Foreign Policy Decision Making, Texas A&M University, and the James Baker Institute, Rice University, Texas A&M University, October 24, 1996.

“Structure and Process in Foreign Policy Decision Making: An Experimental Assessment of Poliheuristic Propositions,” (with N. Geva and A. Mintz). Presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, April 16-20, 1996, San Diego, California. (A previous version of this paper was presented at the First Regional Graduate Student Symposium on “New Directions in Foreign Policy Decision Making,” Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas, March 1, 1996.

“The Power Transition Theory: A Nonlinear Growth Model,” (with J. Mayhar and D. C. Hanson). Paper presented at the 1995 annual meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, Dallas, Texas, March 22-25.

“The Impact of Dynamic and Static Choice Sets on Decision Strategy: An Analysis Utilizing the Decision Board Platform,” (with A. Mintz, N. Geva, and A. Carnes). Presented at the 1995 annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Chicago, Illinois, February 22-25.

"Testing the Poliheuristic Theory of Decision with Evolving Choice Sets," (with A. Mintz and N. Geva). Presented at the 1994 annual meeting of the Peace Science Society (International), Urbana-Champaign, Illinois, November 3-5.

GRANTS

Received:

2003-2005 National Defense University, Contract No. DABJ29-03-P-0084, (\$7000), “Decision Making Under Conditions of Uncertainty: Experimental Assessment of Decision Models,” (with A. Vedlitz and A. Mintz). Collaborator.

2002 UWM Graduate School Research Committee Award, (\$13,979), (for 2003-2004), “Terrorism and Foreign Policy Decision Making: Including Emotions in the Calculus.”

2000-2001 Tower Center Faculty Fellowship research grant (\$1950), Southern Methodist University.

Applied for:

2005 National Science Foundation, (\$30,000), “Process and Choice: The Effect of Risk, Uncertainty, and Framing at the Individual, Situational, and Contextual Level,” (with A. Mintz). Collaborator. Rejected.

2005 National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, (\$40,033), “CHRP 2005: Coastal Hypoxia Research Project: Competing Theories and the Development of New Tools, Techniques, and Information for Decision Makers,” (with A. Vedlitz, S. DiMarco, R. Hetland, E. Lindquist, and A. Mintz). Collaborator. Rejected.

AWARDS AND HONORS

2004 UWM Distinguished Undergraduate Teaching Award – Nominated and made finalists’ list.

2000 The John G. Tower Fellowship, Southern Methodist University.

2000 International Studies Association, Foreign Policy Analysis Section, Junior Scholar Award (awarded at 2001 meetings in Chicago, IL).

1998 Best Graduate Student Paper Award for “Two-Level Games and the Israel-Syria Peace Process: Only ‘Bibi’ Can Go to Damascus,” presented at the 1997 annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, March 26-29, New Orleans, Louisiana.

1994 Mendon B. Krischer Scholarship, Academic Excellence Award, Texas A&M University.

RESEARCH AND TEACHING FIELDS

International Relations, Foreign Policy Analysis, American Foreign Policy, Conflict Studies, Decision Theory, Undergraduate Research Methods.

Introduction to World Politics/International Relations (Texas A&M, SMU, UWM), The American Foreign Policy Process (SMU), Contemporary Issues in American Foreign Policy (Texas A&M), Conduct of American Foreign Affairs (UWM), Introduction to Political Science Research Methods (Texas A&M, UWM), The Politics of Military Force (SMU), Nuclear Weapons and World Politics/ The Politics of Nuclear Weapons (SMU, UWM), National Security Policy (SMU, UWM), Capstone Seminar (UWM), Seminar in Foreign Policy Decision Making (graduate level-UWM), Seminar in American Foreign Policy (graduate level-UWM), Scope and Methods of Political Science (graduate level-UWM).

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2005, International Studies Association, Foreign Policy Analysis Section, President.

2004, International Studies Association, Foreign Policy Analysis Section, elected to serve as Vice President and Section Organizer for 2005 meeting in Hawaii.

2003, 2002 International Studies Association, Foreign Policy Analysis Section, elected to serve as one of three at-large officers.

Discussant, "Applications of Polyheuristic Theory to International Conflict and International Political Economy." Panel at the 2006 International Studies Association annual meeting, San Diego, California, March 21-25.

Chair and Discussant, "Political Psychology and International Relations." Panel at the 2005 Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 7-10.

Chair, "Institutional and Organizational Perspectives in Foreign Policy Analysis." Panel at the 2003 International Studies Association annual meeting, Portland, Oregon, February 25-March 1.

Chair and Discussant, "Making Foreign Policy Decisions." Panel at the 2001 International Studies Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, February 21-24.

Chair and Panel Organizer, "Advisers and Foreign Policy Decision Making." 2001 Hong Kong International Studies Association Convention, Hong Kong, China, July 26-28.

Discussant, "Globalization and China's Security." Panel at the 2001 Hong Kong International Studies Association Convention, Hong Kong, China, July 26-28.

Chair and Discussant at previous conferences: International Studies Association, Southwestern Social Science Association, and Regional Graduate Student Symposium (Texas A&M University).

Coordinator for the Winter Institute in Modeling and Simulation in International Relations led by Michael D. Ward, University of Washington. The Institute was held at Texas A&M University, Program in Foreign Policy Decision Making, January 11-15, 1999, and sponsored by the Cullen McFadden Professorship, the Center for Public Leadership Studies, and the Department of Political Science.

Coordinator for the Winter Institute in Decision Theory led by Professor Zeev Maoz, Director of the Jaffee Center for Strategic Studies. The Institute was held at Texas A&M University, Program in Foreign Policy Decision Making, January 12-16, 1998, and sponsored by the Cullen McFadden Professorship, the Center for Public Leadership Studies, and the Department of Political Science.

Manuscript reviewer for *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, November 2005, February 2006.

Manuscript reviewer for *Political Psychology*, October 2005.

Manuscript reviewer for *Conflict Management and Peace Science*, September 2005.

Manuscript reviewer for *Foreign Policy Analysis*, September 2004, September 2005, May 2006, August 2006

Manuscript reviewer for *Journal of Politics*, November 2004.

Manuscript reviewer for *International Studies Quarterly*, May and September 2003, and January 2004.

Manuscript reviewer for *American Politics Research*, July 2002.

Manuscript reviewer for the *European Journal of International Relations*, May 1997.

Member: American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, International Studies Association, Peace Science Society (International), International Society of Political Psychology

ACADEMIC SERVICE

University:

2003-2006 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Graduate Research Award Committee member.

2004 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, UWM/UW System Applied Research Program member.

2005-2006 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Athletic Board member.

2005-present, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, International Studies Advisory Committee member.

College of Letters and Science:

2004-present University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Academic Policies and Curriculum Committee member.

2003-2004 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Academic Policies and Appeals Committee member.

Department:

2005 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Department of Political Science, member of hiring subcommittee for Congress position.

2004-present University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Department of Political Science, Graduate Committee member.

2002-2004 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Department of Political Science, Undergraduate Committee member.

2003 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Department of Political Science, Undergraduate Committee member, point person in redesigning department's Student Evaluation Form.

2006 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Ph.D. dissertation committee member for Jason Badura, Eben J. Christensen, Lara Gruszynski, Trevor Rubenzer, and Min Ye. In progress.

2005 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Master's Thesis Chair for Jeffrey Guse. Completed.

2005 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Master's Thesis Chair for Sara Eaton. In progress.

2005 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Master's Thesis committee member for Lorien Hatch and Ada Hyso. Completed.

2004 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Master's Defense committee member for Kyle Wilson. Completed.

2003 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Master's Defense committee member for Jason Badura and Trevor Rubenzer. Completed.

2003 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, chaired preliminary examination committee for Eben J. Christensen.