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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS University of Utah

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science

Affiliated Faculty, Latin American Studies Program

2012-2012-

University of Notre Dame

Visiting Fellow, Kellogg Institute for International Studies

2011-2012

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley

M.A., Ph.D., Political Science

2011

Swarthmore College

B.A., Political Science

2000

BOOKS

State Crisis in Fragile Democracies: Polarization and Political Regimes in South America. Cambridge University Press, 2017.

Reorganizing Popular Politics: Participation and the New Interest Regime In Latin America, (co-editor). The Pennsylvania State University Press, 2009.

JOURNAL ARTICLES "Mass Organization and the Durability of Competitive Authoritarian Regimes: Evidence from Venezuela" Comparative Political Studies, 2016.

"Observing Incumbent Abuses: Improving Measures of Electoral and Competitive Authoritarianism with New Data" *Democratization*, 2016.

"NGOs, International Donors, and the Postmaterial Disjuncture in Latin America" Journal of Politics in Latin America, 2015.

"Social Protection and the Politicization of Class Cleavages During Latin America's Left Turn," Comparative Political Studies, 2013.

"Survey Research and Social Class in Venezuela: Evaluating Alternative Measures and their Impact on Assessments of Class Voting," *Latin American Politics and Society*, 2013.

BOOK CHAPTERS

"The Diversity of Left Party Linkages and Competitive Advantages" (with Ruth Berins Collier) in Steven Levitsky and Kenneth Roberts, *The Resurgence of the Latin American Left*, Johns Hopkins University Press, 2011.

"Introduction: Popular Representation in the Interest Arena," (with Ruth Berins Collier) in Collier and Handlin, *Reorganizing Popular Politics*, 2009.

"Situating the Analysis: Analytic Approach, Cases, and Historical Context," (with Ruth Berins Collier) in Collier and Handlin, *Reorganizing Popular Politics*, 2009.

"Logics of Collective Action and State Linkages: Comparing the UP-Hub and the A-Net" (with Ruth Berins Collier) in Collier and Handlin, *Reorganizing Popular Politics*, 2009.

"Three Forms of Scaling: Embeddedness, Nodal NGOs, and Flexible Fronts," (with Diana Kapiszewski) in Collier and Handlin, *Reorganizing Popular Politics*, 2009.

"Conclusion: General Patterns and Emergent Differences," (with Ruth Berins Collier) in Collier and Handlin, *Reorganizing Popular Politics*, 2009.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Review of "Changing Course in Latin America: Party Systems in the Neoliberal Era", by Kenneth Roberts, in *Latin American Politics and Society*, 2015.

"The Politics of Polarization: Governance and Party System Change in Latin America, 1985-2010." Working Paper, Kellogg Institute of International Studies, 2014.

Review of "Social Movements and the New State: The Fate of Pro-Democracy Organizations When Democracy is Won", by Brian Grodsky, in *Public Integrity*, 2013.

"Shifting Interest Regimes of the Working Classes in Latin America" (with Ruth Berins Collier), UC Berkeley Institute of Industrial Relations, Working Paper 122, 2005.

In Progress

"The Logic of Polarizing Populism: State Crises and Polarization in South America," Under review as part of a special issue on polarization at American Behavioral Scientist.

"Corrosion at the Foundation: Corruption and Party System Institutionalization Under Democracy, 1900-2010"

"Autocratic Regional Organizations and Authoritarian Resilience in the Post-Cold War Era" (with Luis Oquendo)

"Varieties of Democracy and the Durability of Competitive Authoritarianism: Insights from Venezuela and Peru"

"States of Discontent: State Crisis, Party Systems, and Popular Inclusion in South America." Invited chapter for edited volume on "Patterns of Inclusion in Latin America," Diana Kapiszewski, Steven Levitsky, and Deborah Yashar (eds.) Planned submission of volume in September 2017.

"State-Mobilized Contention in Bolivarian Venezuela." Invited chapter for edited volume on "Ruling By Other Means," Grzegorz Ekiert, Elizabeth Perry, and Yan Xiaojun (eds.) Planned submission of volume in Fall 2017

INVITED TALKS AND WORKSHOPS

2017. Hong Kong University, Central European University

2016. Harvard University, Princeton University, Georgia State University.

2015. Harvard University, UC-Berkeley.

 $2014.\,$ U.S. Department of State, University of Notre Dame, Brigham Young University.

2013. UC-Berkeley.

MAJOR APSA (2007-2016) CONFERENCE MPSA (2012-2013) PRESENTATIONS LASA (2017)

SELECTED		
Fellowships,		
Grants, and	Innovative Teaching Award, University of Utah	2013-14
Awards	Visiting Fellowship, Kellogg Institute, University of Notre Dame	2011-12
	Departmental Dissertation Fellowship, UC-Berkeley	2009-10
	Latin American Public Opinion Project Small Grant, Vanderbilt University	2008
	Simpson Fellowship, Institute of International Studies, UC-Berkeley	2007-8
	IRLE Research Assistantship, UC-Berkeley	2007
	Pass with Distinction, Field Exam in Comparative Politics, UC-Berkeley	2006
	Pass with Distinction, Field Exam in Latin American Politics, UC-Berkeley	2006
	IRLE Research Assistantship, UC-Berkeley	2005-6
	Highest Honors (Summa Cum Laude), Political Science, Swarthmore College	2000

Teaching	New Democracies (Utah)		F2012, F2013, F2015
Experience	Comparative Politics of Latin America (Utah) Political Change (Utah)		2012, F2015
			S2013, S2014, S2016
	Introduction to Comparative Politic	es (Utah) 201	13, S2016, F2016, S2017
	Pathologies of Weak States (Utah)	S2017 Proseminar in Com	parative Politics (Utah)
	F2016 Elections in Comparative Per	rspective (Notre Dame)	S2012
	Political Economy of the Southern O	Cone (American University)	S2011

Skills Languages: Spanish (advanced), Portuguese (reading proficiency)

Computer: R, Stata, SPSS, LATEX