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EMPLOYMENT

TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

Professor of Political Science and Mary Thomas Marshall Professor in Liberal Arts
(August 2006–present)

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN

Professor of Political Science and Boeschstein Professor of Political Economy and Public Policy (August 2009–July 2016)
Associate Professor and Boeschstein Scholar of Political Economy and Public Policy (August 2006–July 2009)

YALE UNIVERSITY

Associate Professor of Political Science (July 2003–June 2006)
Assistant Professor of Political Science (July 2000–June 2003)

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

Assistant Professor of Political Science and Janice and Julian Bers Assistant Professor in the Social Sciences
(January 1999–June 2000)
Assistant Professor of Political Science (July 1995–December 1999)

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Ph.D. in Political Science (1994)

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Rasch, Bjørn Erik, Shane Martin, and José Antonio Cheibub. eds. 2015. *Unpacking parliamentarism: How investiture rules shape government formation* Oxford University Press.

Cheibub, José Antonio Cheibub 2007. *Presidentialism, parliamentarism, and democracy*. Cambridge University Press.

Dahl, Robert, Ian Shapiro, and José Antonio Cheibub, eds. 2003. *Democracy sourcebook*. MIT Press.

Przeworski, Adam, Michael Alvarez, José Antonio Cheibub, and Fernando Limongi. 2000. *Democracy and development: Political institutions and material well-being in the world, 1950-1990*. Cambridge University Press. (Translated into Spanish and Chinese).

Journal Articles

- Cheibub, José Antonio and Monika Nalepa. 2020. "Revisiting electoral personalism." *Journal of Theoretical Politics* 32 (1): 3–10.
- Cheibub, José Antonio and Gisela Sin. 2020. "Preference vote and intra-party competition in open-list PR systems" *Journal of Theoretical Politics* 32 (1): 70–95.
- Cheibub, José Antonio, Shane Martin, and Bjørn Erik Rasch. Forthcoming. "Investiture rules and formation of minority governments in European parliamentary democracies." *Party Politics*. Published online June 4, 2019. DOI: 10.1177/1354068819850447.
- Cheibub, José Antonio and Jude C. Hays. 2017. "Elections and civil wars in Africa." *Political Science Research and Methods* 5 (1): 81–102.
- Bucur, Cristina and José Antonio Cheibub. 2017. "Presidential partisanship in government formation: Do presidents favor their parties when they appoint the prime minister?" *Political Research Quarterly* 70 (4): 803–817.
- Correa, Diego Sanches and José Antonio Cheibub. 2016. "The electoral impact of redistributive policies in Latin America: Conditional cash transfer programs and electoral behavior of beneficiaries and non-beneficiaries." *Latin American Politics and Society* 58 (1): 49–71.
- Cheibub, José Antonio, Shane Martin, and Bjørn Erik Rasch. 2015. "Government selection and executive powers: Constitutional design in parliamentary democracies." *West European Politics* 38 (5): 969–996.
- Cheibub, José Antonio, Zachary Elkins, and Tom Ginsburg. 2014. "Beyond presidentialism and parliamentarism." *British Journal of Political Science* 44 (3): 515–544.
- Cheibub, José Antonio. 2013. "O poder legislativo nas democracias contemporâneas." *E-Legis* 6 (10): 7–25.
- Cheibub, José Antonio, Zachary Elkins, and Tom Ginsburg. 2010. "Latin American presidentialism in comparative and historical perspective." *Texas Law Review* 89 (7): 1707–1740.
- Cheibub, José Antonio and Fernando Limongi. 2010. "From conflict to coordination: Perspectives on the study of executive-legislative relations." *Iberian-American Journal of Legislative Studies* 1 (1): 38–53.
- Cheibub, José Antonio, Jennifer Gandhi, and James R. Vreeland. 2010. "Democracy and Dictatorship Revisited." *Public Choice* 143 (1–2): 67–101.
- Cheibub, José Antonio. 2009. "Making presidential and semi-presidential constitutions work." *Texas Law Review* 88 (7): 1375–1408.
- Cheibub, José Antonio, Argelina Figueiredo, and Fernando Limongi. 2009. "Political parties and governors as determinants of the behavior of Brazilian legislators." *Latin American Politics and Society* 51 (1): 1–30.
- Cheibub, José Antonio and Svitlana Chernykh. 2009. "Are semi-presidential constitutions bad for democracy?" *Constitutional Political Economy* 20 (3–4): 202–229.
- Cheibub, José Antonio and Svitlana Chernykh. 2008. "Constitutions and democratic performance in semi-presidential democracies." *Japanese Journal of Political Science* 9 (3): 269–303.
- Cheibub, José Antonio. 2006. "Presidentialism, electoral identifiability, and budget balances in democratic systems." *American Political Science Review* 100(3): 335–350.

Przeworski, Adam, José Antonio Cheibub, and Fernando Limongi. 2003. "Democracy and political culture." *Metapolitica* 8 (3): 52–69. México.

Przeworski, Adam, José Antonio Cheibub, and Fernando Limongi. 2003. "Democracia e cultura: Um visão não culturalista." *Lua Nova* 58: 9–35. Brasil.

Cheibub, José Antonio, Adam Przeworski, Sebastian Saiegh. 2004. "Government coalitions and legislative success under parliamentarism and presidentialism." *British Journal of Political Science* 34 (October): 565–587. *Also published in Portuguese in *Dados* 45 (2), 2002.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2002. "Minority governments, deadlock situations, and the survival of presidential democracies." *Comparative Political Studies* 35 (3): 284–312.

Cheibub, José Antonio and Fernando Limongi. 2002. "Democratic institutions and regime survival: Parliamentarism and presidentialism reconsidered." *Annual Review of Political Science* 2002.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 1998. "Political regimes and the extractive capacity of governments: Taxation in democracies and dictatorships." *World Politics* 50 (3): 349–376.

Cheibub, José Antonio and Adam Przeworski. 1997. "Democracia, eleições e responsabilidade política." *Revista Brasileira de Ciências Sociais* 12 (October): 49–61.

Alvarez, Michael, José Antonio Cheibub, Fernando Limongi and Adam Przeworski. 1996. "Classifying political regimes." *Studies in Comparative International Development* 31 (2): 3–36.

Przeworski, Adam, Michael Alvarez, José Antonio Cheibub, and Fernando Limongi. 1996. "What makes democracies endure?" *Journal of Democracy* 7 (1): 39–55.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 1995. "Mobilizing and sustaining collective action in the Mexican revolution." *Politics and Society* 23 (2): 243–258.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 1995. "Why do governments grow? A comparative analysis of 18 Latin American countries." *Dados* 33 (3).

Book Chapters

Cheibub, José Antonio and Alejandro Medina. 2019. "The politics of presidential term limits in Latin America: From re-democratization to today." In Alexander Baturu and Robert Elgie, eds. *The politics of presidential term limits.*, pp. 517–534. Oxford University Press.

Bucur, Cristina, José Antonio Cheibub, Shane Martin, and Bjørn Erik Rasch. 2018. "Constitution making and legislative involvement in government formation." In Jon Elster, Roberto Gargarella, Vatsal Naresh, and Bjørn Erik Rasch, eds. *Constituent Assemblies*, pp. 186–206. Cambridge University Press.

Cheibub, José Antonio and James R. Vreeland. 2018. "Modernization theory: Does economic development cause democratization?" In Nicolas van de Walle and Carol Lancaster, eds. *Oxford Handbook of Politics of Development*, pp. 3–21. Oxford University Press.

Rasch, Bjørn Erik, Shane Martin, José Antonio Cheibub. 2015. "Investiture rules and government formation." In Rasch, Bjørn Erik Rasch, Shane Martin, José Antonio Cheibub, eds. *Unpacking Parliamentarism: How Investiture Rules Shape Government Formation*, pp. 3–28. Oxford University Press.

Rasch, Bjørn Erik, Shane Martin, José Antonio Cheibub. 2015. "Investiture rules unpacked." In Rasch, Bjørn Erik Rasch, Shane Martin, José Antonio Cheibub, eds. *Unpacking Parliamentarism: How Investiture Rules Shape Government Formation*, pp. 331–356. Oxford University Press.

Limongi, Fernando, José Antonio Cheibub, and Argelina Figueiredo. 2015. "Participação política no Brasil." In Marta Arretche, ed. *Trajétória das Desigualdades: Como o Brasil Mudou nos Últimos Cinquenta Anos*, pp. 23-50. São Paulo: Editora UNESP/CEM.

Cheibub, José Antonio and Fernando Limongi. 2014. "The structure of legislative-executive relations: Asia in comparative perspective." In Rosalind Dixon and Tom Ginsburg, eds. *Comparative Constitutional Law in Asia*, pp. 123-162. Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar.

Cheibub, José Antonio, Zachary Elkins, and Tom Ginsburg. 2012. "Still the land of Presidentialism? Executives and the Latin American constitution." In Detlef Nolte and Almut Schilling-Vacaflor, eds. *New Constitutionalism in Latin America*, pp. 73-98. Surrey: Ashgate.

Cheibub, José Antonio and James R. Vreeland. 2011. "Economic development and democratization." In Nathan J. Brown, ed. *The Dynamics of Democratization: Dictatorship, Development, and Diffusion*, pp. 145-182. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press.

Cheibub, José Antonio and Fernando Limongi. 2011. "Legislative-executive relations." In Tom Ginsburg and Rosalind Dixon, eds. *Comparative Constitutional Law*, pp. 211-233. Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2009. "Reforming presidential and semi-presidential democracies." In Andrew Ellis, J. Jesús Orozco Henríquez, and Daniel Zovatto, eds. *Making Presidentialism Work*, pp. 3-32. Stockholm: IDEA/UNAM.

Cheibub, José Antonio and Zachary Elkins. 2009. "A hibridização de formas constitucionais: A constituição brasileira de 1988 em uma perspectiva comparada." In Magna Inácio and Lucio Rennó, eds. *Legislativo Brasileiro em Perspectiva Comparada*, pp. 55-76. Belo Horizonte, Brasil: Editora UFMG.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2008. "Political reforms in Brazil: Diagnosis, recent proposals and a suggestion." In Warner Baer and Joseph Love, eds. *Brazil Under Lula: An Assessment of the Worker-President's First Administration*, pp. 9-26. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2002. "Presidentialism and democratic performance." In Andrew Reynolds, ed. *Constitutional Design: Institutional Design, Conflict Management, and Democracy in the Late Twentieth Century*, pp. 104-140. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Cheibub, José Antonio and Adam Przeworski. 1999. "Democracy, elections, and accountability for economic outcomes." In Adam Przeworski, Susan C. Stokes, and Bernard Manin, eds. *Democracy and Accountability*, pp. 222-250. New York: Cambridge University Press.

Cheibub, José Antonio and Adam Przeworski. 1997. "Political regimes, government expenditure and economic growth." In Albert Breton, Gianluigi Galeotti, Pierre Salmon and Ronald Wintrobe, eds. *Understanding Democracy: Economic and Political Perspectives*, pp. 107-124. New York: Cambridge University Press.

Przeworski, Adam, José Antonio Cheibub, and Fernando Limongi. 1997. "Culture and democracy." *World Culture Report*. UNESCO (with Adam Przeworski and Fernando Limongi).

Other Publications

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2014. "The constitutional foundations of democratic consolidation." *Comparative Democratization Newsletter*, vol. 12, no. 2. *Also published in *Presidential Power: Presidents and Presidential Politics Around the World* (<http://presidential-power.com/>), June 18 and 19, 2014.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2012. "Türkiye İçin Tek Bir İdeal: Yönetim Biçimi Var Midir?" *Görüş*, pp.52-60.

Ginsburg, Tom, José Antonio Cheibub, Veronica Eragu, Donald Horowitz, Christina Murray, and Mila Versteeg. 2012. *Analytic Report on the Transitional Constitution of the Republic of South Sudan*. Rome: International Development Law Organization.

Ginsburg, Tom, José Antonio Cheibub, and Justin Frosini. 2012. *Analytic Report on the Consultation Draft Constitution of the Somali Republic*. Rome: International Development Law Organization.

Cheibub, José Antonio. "How to include political capabilities in the HDI? An evaluation of alternatives." *Human Development Research Papers 2010/14*. United Nations Development Program, October 2010.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2005. "BRAZIL: Candidate-centered PR in a presidential system." In *International Handbook of Electoral Systems*. Stockholm, Sweden: IDEA.

Cheibub, José Antonio, Argelina Figueiredo, and Fernando Limongi. 2003. "Quem manda em quem na esfera federal?" *Insight Inteligência* 5 (21).

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2003. Systems of government: Parliamentarism and presidentialism? *Briefing Paper for the Constitutional Drafting Commission of Afghanistan*. Center for International Cooperation, New York University.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 2000. "Book Review of Philip Oxhorn and Pamela K. Starr, eds. Markets and democracy in Latin America: Conflict or convergence?" *Canadian Review of Political Science* 33 (1).

Cheibub, José Antonio. 1999. "Data optimism in comparative politics: The importance of being earnest." *APSA-CP: Newsletter of the APSA Organized Section in Comparative Politics*. Summer.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 1999. "Democracy and property rights: Is there a link?" *Working Papers on Democracy and Development* 5. Chicago Center on Democracy, University of Chicago.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 1988. "O voto do analfabeto: Limites de participação e cidadania." *Textos IDESP*. São Paulo, Instituto de Estudos Econômicos, Sociais e Políticos de São Paulo.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 1986. *Capacidade de governo no serviço de transporte público: O caso de São Paulo*. São Paulo, IDESP. Série Monográfica 3.

Cheibub, José Antonio. 1986. "Educação e cidadania: A exclusão política dos analfabetos no Brasil." *Cuadernos de Capel* 4. San José, Costa Rica: Instituto Interamericano de Derechos Humanos, Centro de Asesoría y Promoción Electoral.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Norwegian Research Council, Research Grant (2013-2017). *The origins and consequences of parliamentary institutions*. NOK 7,700,000 (approximately US\$1,300,000 at the time).

Lemann Institute for Brazilian Studies, Collaborative Grant, 2011-2012. US\$ 20,000.

Social Science Research Fund, Yale University, 2005.

Leitner Program in Political Economy and Yale Center for International and Areas Studies. Organization of conference *Legislative Process and Political Parties in Presidential and Parliamentary Democracies*, 2001.

University of Pennsylvania. Christopher H. Browne Center for International Politics. Faculty Research Grant. July 1999.

University of Pennsylvania. Christopher H. Browne Center for International Politics. Faculty Research Grant. July 1998.

University of Pennsylvania. Research Foundation Grant. Project: *The electoral connection: Accountability in democratic and non-democratic regimes*. February 1997-February 1998.

National Science Foundation Grant (SBR-9507648). Co-Principal Investigator. Project: *Political institutions, government expenditure, and economic growth*. July 1995-June 1997. Approximately US\$ 90,000.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Mary Thomas Marshall Professor in Liberal Arts, Texas A&M University, 2016–present.

Boeschstein Professor of Political Economy and Public Policy, University of Illinois Champaign–Urbana, 2009–2016.

Boeschstein Scholar of Political Economy and Public Policy, University of Illinois, Champaign–Urbana, 2006–2008.

Luso-Afro-Brazilian Fellowship, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal–March–April 2010.

Data Set Award, American Political Science Association, Comparative Politics Section–2002.

Woodrow Wilson Foundation Award, American Political Science Association prize for the best book published in the United States on government, politics or international affairs–2001.

Brazilian Ministry of Education. Doctoral fellowship–1985–1990.

Center for Latin American Studies, University of Chicago. Summer travel grant–1987.

Consejo Latino Americano de Ciencias Sociales, Buenos Aires, Argentina, Junior research grant–1985.

Brazilian Ministry of Science and Technology. Graduate fellowship–1982–1985

Brazilian Ministry of Science and Technology. Junior research fellowship–1981.

OTHER ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS AND AFFILIATIONS

Núcleo de Estudos Comparativos e Internacionais, University of São Paulo, Brazil, Associated Researcher, 2010–present.

Residential Visiting Fellow, Center for International Social Science Research, University of Chicago, March 8–18, 2018.

University of Oslo, Norway, Visiting Fellow, April–July 2014, June 2015.

Instituto de Estudos Sociais e Políticos, University of Rio de Janeiro, Visiting Fellow, June 2013.

University of São Paulo, Department of Political Science, Visiting Fellow, March 2012.

Lemann Institute for Brazilian Studies, University of Illinois at Champaign–Urbana, Faculty Affiliate, 2009–2016.

Cline Center for Democracy, University of Illinois at Champaign–Urbana, Faculty Affiliate, 2006–2016.

Center for Global Studies, University of Illinois at Champaign–Urbana, Faculty Affiliate, 2006–2016.

Center for Latin America and Caribbean Studies, University of Illinois at Champaign–Urbana, Faculty Affiliate, 2006–2016.

University of Chicago, Chicago Center on Democracy, Post-Doctoral fellow, 1994–1995.

University of Chicago, Department of Political Science, Grodzins Prize Lecturer. Course: "Political and Economic Perspectives on Latin American Development," Spring 1993.

Maison des Sciences de l'Homme, Paris, France, Affiliated Researcher. 1988-89.

CONSULTING

Constitutional Design Group (<http://constitutionaldesigngroup.org/>), founding member. Constitutional analyses: Kenya, Mongolia, Somalia, South Sudan.

"Analytic Report on the Transitional Constitution of the Republic of South Sudan." Rome, International Development Law Organization, June 2012 (with Tom Ginsburg, Veronica Eragu, Donald Horowitz, Christina Murray and Mila Versteeg).

"Analytic Report on the Consultation Draft Constitution of the Somali Republic." Rome, International Development Law Organization, February 2012 (with Tom Ginsburg and Justin Frosini).

National Democratic Institute for International Affairs. 2011. Comparative analysis of indirect presidential elections in parliamentary constitutions; assessment of Somali Transitional Federal Charter.

"How to Include Political Capabilities in the HDI? An Evaluation of Alternatives." *Human Development Research Papers 2010/14*. United Nations Development Program, October 2010.

"Systems of Government: Parliamentarism and Presidentialism" Briefing Paper for the Constitutional Drafting Commission of Afghanistan. Center for International Cooperation, New York University, 2003.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS, PANELS AND ROUND TABLES (selected)

Dynamic party system fragmentation

- Tulane University, Department of Political Science Seminar Series, 7 February 2020.
- Texas A&M, Department of Political Science, Ethics and Political Science Program Internal Speaker Series, 17 April 2019.
- University of Texas at Austin, Department of Political Science, Department's Speaker Series, 29 April 2019.

Constitutional parliamentarism: Executive-legislative relations in early and contemporary parliamentary regimes

- Workshop "Government Termination in Parliamentary Democracies," Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel, 10–12 February, 2020.
- Workshop "Law and Social Science," Texas A&M Law School, Fort Worth, Texas, 20 April, 2018.
- Workshop "Institutional Change: The Origins and Evolution of Political Institutions," Sciences Po, Paris. 26–27 May, 2016.
- "Parliaments in Challenging Times," Third General Conference of the ECPR Standing Group on Parliaments. 30 June–2 July, 2016.

Democracy and democratic controls

- Round table at the São Paulo School of Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences, International Interdisciplinary Post-Doctoral Program, University of São Paulo, 23–29 March, 2018.

Dilemmas of contemporary democracies: Diagnosis and perspective

- Conference “Dynamics of Contemporary Democratic Societies,” São Paulo School of Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences, International Interdisciplinary Post-Doctoral Program, University of São Paulo, 23–29 March, 2018.

The Institutions of parliamentarism

- Workshop “Evolution of Parliamentarism and Its Political Consequences,” Norwegian Institute in Rome, 13–15 May, 2018.

Legislative-executive compromises and constitutional design: The evolution of parliamentary institutions in Europe

- Conference “Perspectives on Constituent Assemblies,” New York, Columbia University, 1–2 April, 2016.

Executive and legislative powers in the 1917 Mexican constitution: Balanced or tilted in favor of the president?

- Seminário Internacional “El Constitucionalismo Latinoamericano como Elemento Aglutinador de la Región,” Secretaría de Relaciones Exteriores, Ciudad de México. 26–28 August, 2015.

Order in chaos: Intra-party coordination in OLPR systems

- Oxford University, Department of Politics and International Relations. 2 June, 2015.
- University of Virginia, Lansing B. Lee, Jr./Bankard Seminar. 18 September, 2014.
- University of Massachusetts at Amherst, Department of Political Science. 31 January, 2014.
- University of Illinois, Comparative Politics Workshop. 17 February, 2014.
- Hebrew University, Department of Political Science, Jerusalem. 25 February, 2014.
- Peace Research Institute (PRIO), Oslo. 28 May, 2014.

Legislative power in contemporary democracies

- Keynote address at the launching of *Reforming Sri Lankan Presidentialism: Provenance, Problems and Prospects*. Centre for Policy Alternatives, Colombo, Sri Lanka. February 2015.
- Commencement Address, Master’s Program in Legislative Studies, Brazilian Chamber of Deputies. 4 March, 2013.
- Parliament of Norway, Oslo. 6 May, 2013.

Why investiture? Explaining modes of government selection in parliamentary democracies

- Conference “The Importance of Constitutions II: Parliamentarism, Representation and Voting Rights,” Uppsala University, Sweden. 17 June, 2014.
- Second general conference of the ECPR standing group on Parliaments, University of Vienna, Austria. 26 June, 2014.

Are voters more unattached in new than in old democracies? Evidence from aggregate volatility data

- University of Oslo, Department of Political Science, Seminar Series. 27 May, 2014.

Regime change and democratization

- Panel discussion, College of Law, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. 20 January, 2013.

Elections and civil wars in Africa

- University of Oxford, Department of Politics and International Relations. 2 June, 2015.
- University of Virginia, Department of Politics. 24 November, 2014.
- University of Colorado, Boulder, Department of Political Science. 18 April, 2013.
- Commencement address for the Graduate Program in Political Science, University of São Paulo, Department of Political Science. 20 March, 2012.
- Institute of Social and Political Studies, University of Rio de Janeiro. 2 April, 2012.

- Democracy and Development Seminar Series, Princeton University, Department of Politics. 30 March, 2011.
- Leitner Political Economy Seminar, Yale University. 1 April, 2011.
- Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa. 6 March, 2010.

Investiture rules and formation of minority governments in parliamentary democracies."

- Conference "The Importance of Constitutions: Parliamentarism, Representation, and Voting Rights." Swedish Research Institute in Istanbul, Turkey. 24 October, 2013.
- Oslo-Athens Workshop on Democracy, Program on Democracy as Idea and Practice, Norwegian Institute at Athens, Greece. 8 November, 2012.

Looking back on the Arab Spring: What really happened, why it matters today, and what is coming next.

- Roundtable discussion and public forum about the Arab Spring, University of Illinois, Cline Symposium. 9 April, 2012.

Education, development and democracy.

- Keynote speaker, Democracy Program, Second International Conference on Democracy as Idea and Practice, University of Oslo. 13 January, 2011.

Latin American presidentialism in comparative and historical perspective.

- Workshop "Democracy," Program on Democracy as Idea and Practice," University of Oslo, Norwegian Institute in Rome. 8 November, 2011.
- University of Texas Law School. 4 March, 2011.
- ECPR/IPSA political science workshop, University of São Paulo. 16 February, 2011.

Indirect presidential elections in parliamentary democracies.

- National Democratic Institute, Nairobi, Kenya. 12 May, 2011.

Weakness in strength: The impossibility of the military as a third party mechanism of conflict resolution.

- Conference "Neutral Third Party in Conflict Resolution." Collège de France, Paris. 7 June, 2011.

Executive-legislative relations: Asia in comparative perspective.

- Conference "Comparative Constitutional Law," co-organized by the University of Chicago Law School and Hong Kong University. 16 December, 2011.

Economic development and democratization.

- Program on Democracy, Department of Political Science, University of Oslo, Norway. 12 January, 2012.
- Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa. March 2010.
- Faculty-Student Seminar, University of Illinois, Department of Political Science. 20 February, 2009.
- George Washington University. 12 January, 2009.

On the hybridization of constitutional forms: Beyond parliamentarism and presidentialism.

- First International Conference on Democracy as Idea and Practice, University of Oslo. 15 January, 2010.
- Seminar "Presidentialism, Semipresidentialism, and Parliamentarism: The Efficacy and Legitimacy Dilemma," Universidad Nacional Autónoma, México. November 2009.
- Seminar "Legislative Power in Latin America in Comparative Perspective." Universidad de Salamanca, Spain. December 2009.
- Conference "Semi-Presidentialism and Democracy." Institute of Political Science at Academia Sinica (IPSAS), Taipei, Taiwan. 17 October, 2008.

Economic development and democracy.

- Keynote speaker, Cline Symposium, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. November 2010.

Can democracy be predicted?

- Oslo–Paris Conference “Democracy,” University of Oslo Program on Democracy. Maison des Science de l’Homme, Paris, France. October 2010.

Constructing cross-national datasets: Challenges and possible solutions.

- Workshop “Measuring Democracy,” Boston University. May 2009.
- Conference “Democracy Audits and Governmental Indicators,” University of California, Berkeley. October 2009.

Reforming presidential and semi-presidential democracies.

- IDEA consultative workshop “Making Presidentialism Work,” Universidad Nacional Autónoma, México. 6 February, 2008.

Presidents, governments and parliamentary constitutions.

- Conference “Designing Democratic Institutions,” London School of Economic. 13 May, 2008.
- Florida State University, Department of Political Science. 3 October, 2008.

Hybrid constitutional forms: The 1988 Brazilian constitution in comparative perspective.

- Conference “Brazilian Legislature in Comparative Perspective,” University of Brasília. 15 May, 2008.

Mixed constitutions and democratic performance.

- Notre Dame University, Department of Political Science. 5 December, 2008.
- Conference “Forms of Government, Party Systems and Democratic Performance,” University of Edinburgh. 24, October, 2007.
- Conference “Separation of Powers: New Doctrinal Perspectives and Empirical Findings,” Haifa University, Israel, 17 December, 2007.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Editorial and Advisory Boards

- Politics & Society, 2018–present.
- Journal of Politics, 2016–2019
- Constitutional Political Economy, 2015–present.
- Política y Gobierno, 2014–present.
- Brazilian Review of Political Science, Editorial Board, 2014–present.
- Revista Iberoamericana de Estudios Legislativos, Conselho Editorial, 2010–present.
- Comparative Constitutions Project, Board of Advisors, 2006–present.
- Political Research Quarterly, 2014–2018.
- Comparative Political Studies, 2012–2015.
- Coalitional Presidentialism Project, Board of Advisors, University of Oxford, 2011–2015.
- Democracy Program, International Advisory Board, University of Oslo, Norway, 2010–2015.

Manuscript and Grant Review

Acta Politica
American Political Science Review
American Journal of Political Science
Brazilian Review of Political Science
British Journal of Political Science
Cambridge University Press
Canadian Journal of Political Science
Center for Advanced Study, Oslo, Norway
Comparative Political Studies
Conflict Management and Peace Studies
Cornell University Press
Dados
Economic and Politics
Electoral Studies
Government and Opposition
International Interactions
International Studies Quarterly
Journal of Comparative Politics
Journal of Conflict Resolution
Journal of Development Studies
Journal of Peace Research

Journal of Politics
Journal of Theoretical Politics
Latin American Research Review
Latin American Politics and Society
Legislative Studies Quarterly
MacArthur Foundation
MIT Press
National Science Foundation
Oxford University Press
Penn State Press
Political Research Quarterly
Política y Gobierno
Political Studies
Political Science Quarterly
Public Choice
Revista Brasileira de Ciências Sociais
Social Science Research Council
University of Illinois Press
World Development
World Politics

American Political Science Association

Heinz I. Eulau Award, Committee member, 2012–2013.
Comparative Democratization Section, Secretary, 2008–2011.
Committee on International Political Science, 2007–2010.
Comparative Democratization Section, Committee for the Best Article Award, 2007.
Comparative Politics Section, Committee for the "Verba-Lijphart-Przeworski" award.

Latin American Studies Association

Bryce Wood Book Award Committee for outstanding book on Latin America in the social sciences and humanities published in English, member (2011-2012)

Midwest Political Science Association

Program Committee, member, 2011
Section Chair, *Comparative Politics: Democratization* section, 2011

Latin American Political Science Association

2nd Workshop of the Legislative Studies Group, co-organizer. Rio de Janeiro, November 2014.
Guillermo O'Donnell Prize for Best Dissertation, committee member, 2015, 2017.

DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Texas A&M University

- Dean's Advisory Committee, College of Liberal Arts, 2017–2020.
- Graduate Committee, 2017–

- Placement Director, Department of Political Science, 2016–
- Nominating Committee, Department of Political Science, 2016–
- College of Liberal Arts' representative to the *Democracy Grand Challenge* initiative, 2016–2017.
- American Politics search committee, 2016–2017, 2017–2018.

University of Illinois

Department of Political Science: Advisory Committee (2008–2013, 2014–2016); Comparative Politics Workshop, Coordinator (2006–2012, 2014–2015); Comparative Politics Search Committee, Chair (2006–2007, 2013–2014); Undergraduate Instructional Programs, (2012–2013); Head's Review Committee, member (2011–2012); Awards Committee (2010–2011); Advisory Committee (2009–2010, 2015–2016); Comparative Politics Search Committee, Chair (2007–2008); Comparative Politics Area, Chair (2007–2008); Graduate Admissions Committee, Member (2007–2008); Seminar Committee, member (2006–2007).

Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies: Tinker Foundation Research Grants, Committee Member (2013–2014, 2014–2015); Executive Committee Member (2007–2009); Graduate Research Paper Prize Committee, Member (2007–2008).

Graduate College and Provost Office: Committee on Assessment of the Illinois Doctoral Experience, (2013–2014)

Lemann Institute of Brazilian Studies: Executive Committee member (2010–2011).

Office of Scholarships for International Studies: University Fulbright Interview Committee, member (2007–2008).

Yale University

Director of Undergraduate Studies, International Studies Major (2003–2005); Faculty Search Committee, Department of Political Science (2003–2004, 2001–2002); Yale College, Admissions Committee (2003–2004, 2001–2002); Latin American Policy Seminar, coordinator, Council for Latin American and Iberian Studies, Yale Center for International and Area Studies (2003–2004; co-coordinator 2004–2005); Political Economy Workshop, Leitner Program in Political Economy, Co-coordinator (2001–2002); Yale College Fulbright Grants Committee (2001–2002); International Relations Program, Yale Center for International and Areas Studies, Admissions Committee (2000–2001).

University of Pennsylvania

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TEACHING

Courses: Representative Government and Democracy; Comparative Government Institutions; Field Seminar in Comparative Politics; Representative Governments in Comparative Perspective; Governments, Parties and Elections in Democracies; Institutionalism Revisited; Global Democratization; Elections and Democracy; Comparative Political Institutions; Democratization; Comparative Political Regimes; Introduction to Comparative Politics; Brazil in Comparative Perspectives; Political Regimes and Economic Development; Theory and Practice of Democracy; Tools for International Affairs; Comparative Political Analysis; Latin American Politics; Statistical Analysis for Political Science; Political Institutions and Economic Performance; Democracy and Development.

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