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EDUCATION

Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick, NJ

Department of Political Science

Ph.D., April 2015

Major Area of Study: Comparative Politics

Minor Area of Study: International Relations

Dissertation: “Grains of Doubt: A Comparison of the Politically Contested Visual Landscapes of Genetically Modified Organisms in the United States and Europe”

Dissertation Chair: Jan Kubik

Texas State University, San Marcos

Department of Communication Studies

M.A. completed May 2004, B.A. with honors completed August 2002

Concentration: Political Rhetoric

M.A. Thesis: “Representing Iraq: Examinations of Post-War Political Discourse and the Politics of Order.”

B.A. Honors Thesis: “Waging Ideological Warfare: An Analysis of Post-September 11th Crisis.”

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Nebraska Wesleyan University

Department of Political Science

Department Chair, 2018-present

Assistant Professor, 2015-present

Rutgers University

Department of Political Science

Adjunct Member of the Graduate M.A. Faculty, 2016-present

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Clancy, K. *The Politics of Genetically Modified Organisms in the United States and Europe*. Palgrave Macmillan, 2016.

Articles

Baker, J, **Clancy, K**, and Clancy B., (2020). “Putin as gay icon: Memes as tactic in Russian LGBTQIA+ activism” R. Buyantueva and M. Shevtsova (eds.), *LGBTQ+ Activism in Central and Eastern Europe* Palgrave Macmillan.

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Clancy K., and Bauer K. (2018). "Creating student-scholar-activists: Discourse instruction and social justice in political science classrooms." *New Political Science* 40 (3): 542-557.

Bauer K and **Clancy K.** (2017). "Teaching race and social justice at a predominantly white institution" *Journal of Political Science Education* 14 (1): 72-85.

Clancy K and Clancy B. (2016). "Growing monstrous organisms: The construction of anti-GMO visual rhetoric through digital media," *Critical Studies in Media Communication*, 33:3 (279-292).

Under Peer Review

Bauer, K., and **Clancy, K.** "Political Science Pedagogy in Flyover Country: How Political Science Faculty Navigate Ideological Diversity in the Midwest."

Clancy, K. "'Yes we can,' but could we again? Linking the electoral politics and social movements of the Obama years."

Baker, J and **Clancy K.** "The Right to the city at fifty: Social movements in contested urban spaces."

In progress

Clancy, K. *Charting the Resistance: Activist Civil Society and Social Change* (book manuscript)

Book chapter, selected to be included in *Teaching Research Methods in Political Science*, edited by Jeffrey L. Bernstein, under contract with Edward Elgar Publishers. Clancy, Kelly and Bauer, Kelly. "Scaffolding Research Methods Across the Curriculum: An Exploration of Embedded Curricular Design."

Clancy, K. "Flexible politics: Mobilization strategies of youth activists in the 2014 Scottish Independence Referendum."

Clancy, K "Contentious politics of genetically modified organisms in Europe."

Book Reviews and other publications

Clancy K and Bauer K, "Reconceptualizing diversity and difference: Teaching US and Comparative Politics in conversation" *Comparative Politics Newsletter*.

Clancy, K "ORBÁN: Europe's new strongman: Book review," (2018), *Journal of Contemporary European Studies* 26:2 (241-242).

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Clancy K, Mikell, R. and Viera, E. (2016). "APSA teaching and learning track summary: Core curriculum," *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 49:3 (571-586).

Clancy, K "Metaphorical world politics: Book review," (2007). *Rhetoric and Public Affairs* 10:1 (142-144).

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Keynote Address

"Visual Politics of Food" at the International Seminar Visual Framing of Food Technologies *Wageningen University & Research (Netherlands), 16-18 October 2019*

Conferences Organized

"Nebraska Workshop on Teaching Diversity and Inclusion in Political Science," with Kelly Bauer, at Nebraska Wesleyan University, 2018

Conference Presentations

"Political Science Pedagogy in Flyover Country: How Faculty Navigate Diversity in the Midwest" American Political Science Association, Fall 2019. With Bauer, K.

"From Left to Right: A Visual Ethnographic Reading of Social Movements and the Right to the City in Thessaloniki, Greece: May 14-19, 2018." American Association of Geographers, Spring 2019. With Baker, J.

"Political Science Pedagogy in Flyover Country: How Faculty Navigate Ideological Diversity in the Midwest" Southern Political Science Association, Spring 2019.

"Creating student-scholar-activists: Discourse instruction and social justice in political science classrooms," American Political Science Association Teaching and Learning Conference, Spring 2018.

"Using Discourse Instruction to Teach Race and Social Justice at a Predominately White Institution," Midwest Political Science Association, Spring 2017. With Bauer, K.

"Socially Conscious Teaching at a Predominantly White Institution." American Political Science Association's Teaching and Learning Conference, Long Beach, CA Spring 2017. With Bauer, K.

"But Sometimes We Like Using Paper..." A Pilot Study in Student Perception of Digital Platforms in Political Science Courses." American Political Science Association Convention, Philadelphia, PA (September 2016).

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“Structured debates as teaching tools,” American Political Science Association’s Teaching and Learning Conference, Portland, OR, Spring 2016.

“Unstable food and the potential for catastrophe: Understanding political resistance to genetically modified food in the United States and Europe,” presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, Spring 2015.

“Ankietomania! The Popular Politics of Survey Research in Communist and Post-Communist Poland,” presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association Convention, Chicago, IL, Fall 2013.

“Populist Politics in Poland: The Case of the Smolensk Disaster,” presented at the annual meeting of the European Union Studies Association, Baltimore, MD, Spring 2013.

“Anti-Intellectualism, Politics of Emotion, and the Rise of Right-Wing Populism in Poland and the United States,” presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association convention, New Orleans, LA, Fall 2012.

“Transnational Flow of Political Ideas and Regime Transformations in Central and Eastern Europe and Eurasia,” presented at the American Society East European and Eurasian Studies, New Orleans, LA, Fall 2012.

Media Appearances

Interviewed for: Sathish, M. (2018). “Protests Outside The White House Could Soon Be Limited & Experts Are Sounding The Alarm,” *Bustle*.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, and AWARDS

External:

2019: Nancy Weiss Malkiel Fellowship from Woodrow Wilson Foundation

2013: Junior Scholars Training Seminar awardee, East European Studies at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholar (declined)

2013: Travel Grant, American Political Science Association Convention

2013: Travel Grant, European Union Studies Association Convention

2010: Baden-Wurttemberg Stipendium for special study at the University of Konstanz, Konstanz, Germany

2009: Foreign Language and Area Studies award recipient, University of Pittsburgh Summer Language Institute’s Pittsburgh-Poland Program

Internal, Nebraska Wesleyan University:

2019: Margaret J. Prouty Faculty Teaching Award

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2019: Student-Faculty Collaborative Research Grant to Ireland and Northern Ireland:

“The Effects of Grassroots Mobilization on Abortion Legalization in Ireland and Northern Ireland”

2019: NWU Wolf Fund award, used to take students in Minority Politics course to the Lincoln Commission on Human Rights’ 2019 Civil Rights Conference

2018: Ameritas Fellowship for research on diversity in the classroom

2018: Kenneth R. Holder Fellowship for Instructional Improvement

2018: NWU Wolf Fund award, used to bring students to the Justice Summit and opening of the Equal Justice Initiative’s Legacy Museum in Montgomery, AL.

2017: Aspen Ideas Festival Attendee Award

2017: Advocate for Diversity Award, Nebraska Wesleyan University

2017: John White Internationalization Award, Nebraska Wesleyan University

2017: John White Internationalization Travel Grant, Nebraska Wesleyan University

2016: Student-Faculty Collaborative Research Grant to Scotland, “Effects of Youth Participation on the Scottish Independence Referendum of 2014”

2016: FDC Travel Grant, APSA Teaching and Learning Conference

Internal, Rutgers University:

2011, 2013: Expository Writing Teaching Fellow, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Rutgers University

2012-2013: Graduate Assistantship, GradFund, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Rutgers University

2009: Pre-Dissertation Special Study Award, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences,

2008-2011: Excellence Fellowship, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Rutgers University

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Project Based Learning Institute, Worcester Polytechnic Institute (summer 2019)

Workshop on Intercultural Learning in Education Abroad (spring 2019)

Project Based Learning Workshop (spring 2019)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Graduate Level

Rutgers University

Global Environmental Politics and the United Nations (MA level)

Undergraduate Level

Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, NE

First year courses

Political Satire and Comedy (freshman seminar)

Revolution 1968! (freshman seminar)

Student Success Seminar (freshman seminar)

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Introduction to International Politics
Introduction to US Government and Politics
Justice: An Introductory Experience (interdisciplinary)

Electives

Making Social Change: Political Activism and Grassroots Mobilization
Politics of Europe
Political Identities
Global Environmental Politics
Race and Politics (formerly Minority Politics)
Media and Politics
Global Politics and the United Nations: An Overview
Global Politics and the United Nations: Terrorism

Seminars

Democratization
Global Revolution and Rebellion

Methods and Capstone Courses

Research Methods: Qualitative Methods and Philosophy of Science
Political Science Senior Capstone
Interdisciplinary Capstone

Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ (2008-2015)

Introduction to Comparative Politics
Introduction to American Government
Post-Communist Democracies
Political Culture
Public Policy Formation
Special Topics in Comparative Politics: Social Movements in the US and Japan Part I and II (on location in Kyoto, Japan)
Special Topics in Comparative Politics: Civil Society in the US and Japan (on location in Kyoto, Japan)
Special Topics in Comparative Politics: Environmental Politics in the US and Japan
Expository Writing

STUDENT PLACEMENT RECORD

Washington University Law (2016), Emory Law (2016), Peace Corps (2018, 9), National Association of Counties (2018), American University Law (2019), London School of Economics (MA, 2019), Fulbright ETA (2019), Japan Exchange and Teaching Programme (JET, 2019), Boren (2019), Truman, Boren, and Humanity in Action Finalists (2016-2019), Cornell Law School (2019) Villanova Law School (2019)

INVITED TALKS

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2019: Moderated Discussion, Deray McKesson, Forum Visions and Ventures Conference.

2019: Invited presentation, "Whiteness and the limits of white fragility." Diversity Action Council Discussion Series, NWU.

2018: Invited presentation, "Creating inclusive classrooms—rationale and pedagogical tools," as part of NWU's opening week workshop on Nurturing Productive and Inclusive Discussions in the Classroom

2017: The (Good) News About Climate Change Politics? Nebraska Wesleyan University Earth Week Talk

2017: Understanding the first 10 days: Executive Orders, Political Protests, and Refugee Policies

2016: "How did the Framers Create the Constitution?" Nebraska State Bar Association, We the People Conference, Fall 2016.

2016: "The politics and culture of Hungary, Romania, and Moldova: An overview." Leadership Education/ Action Development [LEAD] program sponsored by the Nebraska Agricultural Leadership Council, Fall 2016

2016: Election Coffee and Conversation Series

2015: Refugee Crisis and the EU, Campus Talk

2015: "Images of GMOs in Popular Culture," Emerson University, Fall 2015

NON-TEACHING PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Lloyd Gardner Fellowship in Leadership and Social Policy

Associate Director (2011-2014)

Rutgers-Ritsumeikan Exchange Program

Director (2011-2013)

GradFund, Graduate School of New Brunswick

Graduate Associate (2012-2013)

Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress

Legislative Relations Specialist (2006-2007)

Nixon Presidential Materials, National Archives and Records Administration

Graduate Intern (2006)

Westlake High School

Policy Debate Coach, Director of Debate (2002-2005)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Political Science Association, European Union Studies Association, Midwest Political Science Association, American Association for Slavic and East European Studies

SERVICE

Professional

Reviewer, *Political Science Quarterly*, *Politics and Gender*, *PS Political Science*

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AAUP representative, Nebraska State Conference
Preparing Future Faculty Mentor

Departmental/University

Political Science Chair, 2018-present

Faculty Secretary, Faculty Council 2018-present

Justice Thread Coordinator, 2018-present

Higher Learning Commission Accreditation Taskforce, 2017-present

Action Council on Diversity and Inclusion, Spring 2016-present, chair of the
subcommittee on faculty diversity in hiring

AAUP Executive Board Member, Fall 2017-present

Prestigious Scholarship Committee Member, Spring 2016-present

Writing Assessment Taskforce, Spring 2017

Diversity Assessment Taskforce, Spring 2017

Unafraid Educators Taskforce, Spring 2017

NetVUE taskforce, Spring 2017

Campus representative for the Truman Scholarship, 2016

Institutional Review Board Member, 2016-2018

Coordinator of the Chaos Thread, 2016-2018

Forum Committee Member, elected at-large, 2016-2018

Access Mentor, Spring 2016