Leif Birger Hoffmann

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Academic Positions

Professor, Lewis-Clark State College, Lewiston, Idaho	2023 -
Associate Professor, Lewis-Clark State College, Lewiston, Idaho	2017 - 2023
Assistant Professor, Lewis-Clark State College, Lewiston, Idaho	2012 - 2017
Adjunct Professor, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon	2011 - 2012
Education	
 University of Oregon, Ph.D., Political Science Examination Fields: International Relations and Comparative Politics Dissertation: Land of the free, Home of the (un)regulated: A look at market building and liberalization in the EU and the US Committee: Craig Parsons (Chair), Lars Skålnes, Gerald Berk, Alexander Murphy 	2011
University of Oregon, M.A. Political Science	2007
 University of Osnabrück, Germany, Magister Rerum Europae (M.A. in European Studies) Master's Thesis: Between cooperation and competition: An analysis of the trade relations between the USA and the EU Readers: Klaus Busch (first), Rolf Schwier (second) 	2001
ESCEM Poitiers (Grande Ecole de Commerce), France, Diplôme (M.Sc. Int. Management)	2001

Teaching and Research Interests

Comparative politics ~ Comparative federalism & Multi-level governance ~ International relations ~ International institutions ~ European politics ~ European integration ~ Political economy of advanced industrial & developing countries ~ Foreign Policy ~ Mass media & politics ~ Introduction to research methods ~ Introduction to American Politics ~ Active Learning Strategies

Publications

Currently under review

Co-written article with the draft title "The Embedded Coalitions that Make Single Markets: Varieties of Neoliberalism in the US and the EU

Refereed Publications

Rejerced I ablications	
"Becoming exceptional? American and European exceptionalism and their critics: a review" in <i>L'Europe en formation</i> , n° 359, 83 - 106	2011
"Ever closer markets: Public procurement & services in the EU and the USA." in <i>Political Perspectives</i> 2 (2)	2008
"Data Collection Online: Techniques and Traps when Searching for (Treaty-related) Data on the WWW."in <i>International Studies Perspectives</i> , 8 (2). iv – v	2007

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Other Publications	
"Perceptions and Reality of Vote-by-Mail" Op-Ed with Kylee Britzman in <i>Medium</i> (Open Online Publishing Platform), October 27, 2020, accessible at: https://kylee-britzman.medium.com/perceptions-and-reality-of-vote-by-mail-fddc12b9896	2020
Author of instructor ancillary material, lectures and class activities, for <i>The Logic of American Politics</i> , 7th edition, accessible here: http://edge.sagepub.com/kernellarge/	2015
Interview conducted by Chaemin Lee and published in <i>Money Today</i> , Korean Newspaper, June 16, 2012, accessible at: http://news.mt.co.kr/mtview.php?no=2012060811011285574&	2012 type=1
"Voices of doom ignore true strength of European Union." Op-Ed in <i>The Register-Guard</i> , November 25, 2011; p. A13	2011
"And the wall came tumbling down." Op-Ed with Tamas Golya in <i>The Register-Guard</i> , November 25, 2009; p. G1 and 4	2009
Awards, Fellowships & Honors	
H.L. Talkington Faculty Achievement Award	2023
LC State Center for Teaching and Learning Everyday Teaching Excellence Award	2022
J. Anthony and Diane Fernández Faculty Excellence Endowment Award	2021
Dr. Cameron D. & Marilyn K. Hinman LCSC Employee Excellence Award	2018
Recipient of the "Excellence in Service to Students Award" from LCSC's College Chapter of the National Society of Leadership and Success (Sigma Alpha Pi)	2016
UO Thomas Hovet Award for Outstanding Graduate Teaching Fellowship Instructors	2010
EUSA HAAS Fellowship	2010
Departmental Graduate School Research Award	2009
UO Student-Parent Award	2009
John L. and Naomi M. Luvaas Fellowship	2007 - 2008
Departmental "Good Citizen Award"	2007
Stephen L. Wasby Award	2007
Rozanne Junker Scholarship	2006
UO Non-Traditional Student Award	2006
UO Student-Parent Award	2006
IQRM Tuition Scholarship	2005
Honorable mention: "Wettbewerb zur Integration von Zuwanderern", awarded by the German president Johannes Rau	2002
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ERASMUS Scholarship, European Union

1999 / 2000

Grants

LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$1500) for taking undergraduate students to the West Coast Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2025	2024
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$2800) for taking undergraduate students to the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in 2024	2024
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$2000) for taking undergraduate students to explore democratic institutions (Congress, Supreme Court, etc.) in Washington D.C. in March 2024	2024
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$1967.50) for taking undergraduate students to the West Coast Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2024	2024
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$300) for taking undergraduate students to the West Coast Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2023	2022
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$2500) for taking undergraduate students to the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in 2022	2022
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$2500) for taking undergraduate students on a field exploration of Idaho Governmental Institutions in 2023	2022
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$1348) for taking undergraduate students to the West Coast Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2022	2021
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$2796) for taking undergraduate students to the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in 2020	2021
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$275) for taking undergraduate students to the virtual 78 th Annual Midwest Political Science Association Conference in 2021	2021
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$120) for taking undergraduate students to the virtual West Coast Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2021	2020
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$100) for taking undergraduate students to the virtual Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in 2020	2020
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$2000) for taking undergraduate students on a field exploration of Idaho Governmental Institutions in 2020	2019
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$680) for taking undergraduate students to the West Coast Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2020	2019
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$2190) for taking undergraduate students to the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in 2019	2019
Idaho Humanities Council grants to host a guest speaker 2017	& 2018
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$850) for taking undergraduate student to the West Coast Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2019	2018
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$1500) for taking undergraduate student to the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in 2018	2018
LCSC Faculty Development Grant (\$750) to attend 2017 National Conference on Geographic Education	2017
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$1400) for taking undergraduate student to the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in 2017	2017
LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$600) for taking undergraduate student to the West Coast Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2018	2017

Leif Birger Hoffmann **Curriculum Vitae** ASLCSC Grant (\$500) to create reusable advertising signs for MLK Jr. / Idaho Human Rights Day 2016 Recipient of the "Excellence in Service to Students Award" from LCSC's College 2016 Chapter of the National Society of Leadership and Success (Sigma Alpha Pi) Lewis-Clark State College Online Course Development Grant (\$2600) 2016 Funding to develop GEOG 102 Introduction to Geography online LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$1660) for taking undergraduate student to the Pacific 2016 Northwest Political Science Association Conference in 2016 LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$986) for taking undergraduate student to the West Coast 2016 Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2017 ASLCSC Grant (\$1000) to take undergraduate students on a field exploration of 2015 Idaho Governmental Institutions Lewis-Clark State College Online Course Development Grant (\$2500) 2015 Funding to develop POLS 285 Comparative Politics online LCSC Faculty Development Grant (\$244) to attend 2015 PNWPSA Conference 2015 LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$750) for taking undergraduate student to the West Coast 2015 Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2016 LCSC Faculty Development Grant (\$554) to attend 2014 PNWPSA Conference 2014 LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$4000) for taking undergraduate student to the Western 2014 Political Science Association Conference in 2015 LCSC Institutional Development Grant (\$780) for taking undergraduate student to the West Coast 2014 Model EU at the University of Washington, Seattle, WA, in 2015 University of Victoria, B.C., Travel Grant (\$ 200) to attend Conference on CETA 2014 LCSC Faculty Development Grant (\$1000) to attend 2013 PNWPSA Conference 2013

Conferences, Invited Talks, & Workshop Presentations

Presentation: Political Issues in the Pacific Northwest: Idaho; Chair & Discussant: International Relations; Chair & Discussant: Poster Session, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Tacoma, Washington State, November 2024

Invited public talk at *Be an informed voter event* organized by the League of Women Voters and the Lewis Clark Valley Chamber of Commerce at the Lewiston City Library on Ranked Choice Voting, Lewiston, Idaho, October 2024

Presentation: Political Issues in the Pacific Northwest: Idaho; Chair & Discussant: International Relations; Chair & Discussant: Poster Session, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Vancouver, British Columbia. November 2023

Presentation: Political Issues in the Pacific Northwest: Idaho; Discussant: International Relations; Discussant: Poster Session, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Walla-Walla, Washington State, November 2022

Invited panelist on "The End of the Electoral College?", Georgia College & State University, September 2022

Invited joint public talk on the "Mayor-Council Form of City Government" during the Leadership LC Valley class's *Government and Infrastructure Day* organized by the Lewis-Clark Valley Chamber of Commerce at the Lewiston City Library, Lewiston, Idaho, February 2022

Presentation: Political Issues in the Pacific Northwest: Idaho; Chair and Discussant: International Relations; Discussant: Political Psychology II, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Portland, Oregon, November 2021

Invited joint public talk at *The Your City Government-Your Vote Information Forum* organized by the League of Women Voters and the Lewis Clark Valley Chamber of Commerce at the Lewiston City Library on Structures & Characteristics of Mayor-Council and Council-Manager Forms of City Government, Lewiston, Idaho, August 2021

Chair and Discussant for two panels: EU Institutions: Policy Making and Public Opinion and The European Union in Hard Times, Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Virtual Conference, April 2021

Participant in the International Center for Academic Integrity Conference, Virtual Conference, March 2021

Invited virtual public talk organized by ESLIBERTAD/Venezuela on *The Fall of the Berlin Wall and Transitions in Eastern Europe*, November 2020

Discussant for two panels: Comparative Politics / International Relations II and Poster Session, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Virtual Conference, November 2020

Invited public talk organized by the League of Women Voters at the Lewiston City Library on *Fake News?: A Look at the News Media and Biases*, Lewiston, Idaho, February 2020

Discussant for two panels: Comparative Politics and International Relations: Movements and Institutions and Poster Session, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Boise, Idaho, November 2019

Invited public talk at the College of Western Idaho on Europe and the European Union and the continent's future, Boise, April 2019

Discussant, International Relations: States and Processes, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Bend, Oregon, November 2018

Discussant for two panels: Innovations in Teaching and International Relations II: International Environmental Security, Political Economy, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Seattle, Washington State, October 2017

Workshop participant in the National Conference on Geography Education, Albuquerque, New Mexico, July 2017

Discussant, International Relations: International Order, Democracy, and Liberalism, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Portland, Oregon, October 2016

Invited presentation at the University of Idaho's Active Learning Symposium, *The Logic of Politics: Active Learning Strategies & Exercises*, Moscow, Idaho, April 2016

Paper presentation with Dr. Craig Parsons, Liberal Unified Europe, Illiberal Fragmented US? How Europe's Single Market Has Surpassed America's, Council of European Studies Conference, Philadelphia, April 2016

Discussant, Peace & Conflict Studies, and Paper Presentation, Teaching Political Science Roundtable, Panem et Circenses: Teaching political concepts with the help of in-class activities, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Boise, Idaho, October 2015

Paper presentation, Doomed to fail? Public Procurement and Services Markets in the EU and the U.S., and the Potential Consequences for the Transatlantic Trade Negotiations, Western Political Science Association Annual Conference, Las Vegas, March 2015

Paper presentation with Dr. Craig Parsons, *Europe's liberal centralism, America's illiberal localism: public procurement and services*, TTIP Conference Meeting at the Johns Hopkins SAIS European & Eurasian Studies Program, Washington, D.C., December 2014

Discussant, International Relations I: Theory and Practice in International Relations, and Paper Presentation, Comparative Politics I: Political Economy, *Can North America learn from Europe about market-building? How the EU has surpassed the US single market*, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Bend, Oregon, October 2014

Paper Presentation, Can North America learn from Europe about market-building? How the EU has surpassed the US single market, The Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA): Implications for British Columbia Conference, University of Victoria, B.C., May 2014

Discussant and Chair, International Relations Panel: Civil Society, Democracy and Human Rights, and Discussant, Comparative Politics Panel: Layers of Governance: Local, National, State and Society, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Vancouver, B.C., October 2013

Discussant, EU Regulation and its transposition, and Poster Presentation, *Barbers without borders: Services Liberalization in the EU and the US*, Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, April 2012

Paper Presentation, Shaving barriers to trade: Services Liberalization in the EU and the USA, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference, Seattle, Washington State, October 2011

Paper Presentation, Land of the free-home of the (un)regulated: public procurement, American Political Science Association Conference, Washington, D.C., September 2010

Participant in the Western US Graduate Workshop on the European Union, Boulder, Colorado, June 2009

Participant in the 3rd Graduate Student Conference on the EU, paper presentation: *Ever closer markets: Competence, centralization, capitalism in the EU and the USA*, University of Pittsburgh, March 2008

Participant in the 12th Annual CGES Graduate Student Conference, paper presentation: *Ever closer markets: Competence, centralization, capitalism in the EU and the USA*, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., February 2008

Paper presentation, Internal Markets: Services, public procurement and the allocation of authority in the EU and the USA, Western Political Science Association Annual Conference, Las Vegas, March 2007

Poster presentation, *Internal Markets: Services, public procurement and the allocation of authority in the EU and the USA*, International Studies Association Annual Convention, Chicago, February 2007

Paper presentation, *Internal Markets: Services, public procurement and the allocation of authority in the EU and the USA*, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Bend, October 2006

Paper presentation, *Multi-level Governance in the EU and US: Similarities and Differences*, Conference on Multi-Level Governance, University of Victoria, B.C., March 2006

Participant in the Institute for Qualitative Research Methods (IQRM) Arizona State University, January 2005

Professional Service (Campus, Community, & Discipline)

Outside Member of Promotion Committee for Prof. Michael Ritter (Washington State University)		2024
Chair of Talkington Award Committee		2024
Panelist at the LCSC Center for Teaching and Learning: Durable Skills and General Education		2024
Guest lecturer for Black History Experience at LCSC Topic: Selma: Bridge to the Ballot – Documentary screening and discussions		2024
Social Sciences Program Coordinator	2023 -	
President of the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association	2023 -	2024
Scripps National Spelling Bee Inland Northwest Regional spelling bee judge	2023 -	2024
Chair of Promotion & Tenure Committee for Prof. Luella Loudenback		2023
Member of Promotion Committee for Prof. Royal Toy		2023
Anonymous reviewer for Social Sciences & Humanities Open		2023
LC Presents: Series of presentations at Paradise Creek Regional High School (Moscow), Clarkston High School, Coeur d'Alene High School - Topic: Fake News?: A brief look at the news media & biases, Potlatch High School - Topic: The Logic of Politics		2023
Panelist for LC Faculty Leadership Institute discussion on leadership as faculty chair		2023
Pacific Northwest Political Science Association President-elect	2022	- 2023
Member of Tenure & Promotion Committee for Prof. Kylee Britzman		2022
Co-organizing an interactive, hands-on civics day – "Consent of the Governed: Student Democracy Day" for students age 12 and over during the summer	2022	-
Member of Provost/VP of Academic Affairs Search	2021	- 2022
Student Affairs Committee Chair	2021	- 2022
E-Learning Advisory Committee	2021	- 2022
Past Faculty Chair	2021	- 2022
LC State Skill Builder Series / Multicultural Awareness Month Talk: Cross-Cultural Communication	ion	2021
Member of Promotion Committee for Prof. Kerensa Allison		2021
Member of the LC State Accreditation Team: Mid-cycle Review		2021
External Member of the North Idaho College Political Science program review team		2021
Faculty Association and Senate Chair (two consecutive terms)	2019	- 2021
Talk at the LCSC Center for Teaching and Learning: US (presidential) election 2020		2020
Guest lecturer for the Democratic Divas in Lewiston Topic: Elections & Electoral Rules		2020
LC Presents: High School Presentation and Active Learning Experience at Kendrick High School Topic: <i>Critical Thinking, News Media, Biases, & Authoritarian Control</i>		2020
Co-Organizer of video conference guest talk by Andreas Dickel (Director of the Criminal Investig Bureau in Bochum, Germany) Topic: <i>Policing in Germany</i>	ation	2019
Member of the Winter Revel Organization Committee		2019

Organizer of CTL video conference guest talk by Prof. Fereidooni (Ruhr University Bochum) Topic: Experiences with race and racism: teachers and teacher trainees with a migratory backgr	2019 cound
Co-organizer of a visit and talk by Columbian dignitaries to the LCSC campus; Visit being sponsored by the U.S. Department of State's International Visitor Leadership Program	2018 & 2019
Member of the Budget, Planning & Assessment Committee	2018 - 2022
Member of the Compensation Review Committee	2018 - 2021
Faculty Chair Elect	2018 - 2019
Co-Organizer of 2018 Election Night Event at LCSC	2018
Talk to professors of the Business College of Shanxi University; hosted by LCSC International F Topic: <i>Teaching Strategies for American Politics & Geography</i>	Programs 2018
Talk at the LCSC Center for Teaching and Learning: Course Design: Active Learning	2018
Panelist at the Climate Change Forum at the Lewiston City Library Topic: Impacts and effects of climate change policy and international relations	2018
Reviewer for revisions to Readings in American Politics by Ken Kollman, W.W. Norton	2018
Guest lecturer for the Democratic Divas in Lewiston Topic: The Impeachment process in the United States	2017
Creator and Co-organizer of the annual Richard Moore Honorary Lecture	2017 -
2024: Guest speaker Ingeborg Tömmel Topic: Super-Election Year 2024: What's next in the EU, US & beyond?	
2023: Guest speaker Travis Hagner Topic: Developing a Virtual Constituency	
2022: Guest speakers Kristin Haltinner and Dilshani Sarathchandra Topic: <i>Inside the world of climate change skeptics</i>	
2021: Guest speaker Darla McKay ad Patty Weeks Topic: Election Integrity: how elections are run at the local level	
2020: Guest speaker Paul Lenze Jr. Topic: American Grand Strategy in the Middle East through the decades	
2019: Guest speaker Leif Hoffmann Topic: <i>Brexit</i>	
2018: Guest speaker Raja Tanas Topic: Worldviews of Islam	
2017: Guest speaker Dave Adler Topic: The Constitution and Religion: Origins, Challenges, and Accommodations	
Member of the Warrior Pantry Advisory Committee	2017 - 2019
Chair of Political Science Search Committees	2013 & 2017
Demonstrating innovative teaching techniques to Idaho Chief Academic Officer Dr. Brumfield	2017
Facilitator at Dual Credit Faculty Forum	2017 –
2019: College-Level Work: Lessons learned & remaining challenges from teaching dual credit students	
2018: Fake News? A look at the news media & biases	

2017: In-class activities to convey key concepts in intro-level political science courses Guest lecturer for the Shekinah Christian Community's organized Great Decisions Series – 2017 Topic: The European Union and the future of Europe Reviewer for revisions to IR2, by Scott, James, Carter, Ralph, Drury, Cooper, SAGE/CQ Publishing, 2017 Member of the Social Sciences Division's and LCSC's Curriculum Committee 2016 Organizer of 2016 Election Night Event at LCSC 2016 Reviewer for Principles and Practice of American Politics, 6th Edition, by Samuel Kernell, 2016 And Steven S. Smith, CQ Press Organizer of LCSC methods workshop taught by Prof. Craig Parsons (University of Oregon) 2016 Anonymous reviewer for Politics and Governance 2016 LCSC Teaching & Learning Center presentation "Taking students to competitions, conferences 2016 and fields trips with Institutional Development & ASLCSC Grants" Faculty Unplugged Presentation at the LCSC Teaching & Learning Center: Active Learning Exercises 2016 Organizer and Moderator for community-wide international guest talk on the European 2015 Union and the Greek financial crisis by Prof. Toemmel (Universität Osnabrück) Member of Tenure Committee for Prof. Kerensa Allison 2015 Reviewer for International Political Economy, 5th Edition, by Thomas Oatley, Routledge, 2015 Impartial Vote and Ballot Counter for election of Idaho Democratic State Party Chairman 2015 Guest talk at Lewiston Episcopalian Church – Topic: The Logic of Politics 2015 Member of LCSC Research Symposium Planning Committee 2015 - 2019 Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Executive Council Member 2015 - 2022 **Faculty Senator** 2015 - 2018; 2022 - 2024Member of LCSC Benevolence Committee 2015 -Streiff Scholarship Review Committee 2015 -General Education Disciplinary Faculty Meeting: member of Social and Behavioral Ways 2015 of Knowing disciplinary work group Member of LCSC Hearing Board 2014 -Competency Area Review Team (CART) for the Social Sciences 2014 - 2015 Faculty Senate Alternate 2014 - 2015 Guest lecturer for Lewiston retired physicians' group – Topic: What is Europe? Between integration 2014 and rising regionalism Organizer and Moderator for community-wide guest talk by German Mayor Dr. Uli Paetzel 2014 Co-sponsoring Non-partisan Candidate Training for Asotin & Nez Perce Counties 2014 "What are You Reading?" contribution, Idaho Humanities Newsletter, Winter 2014, p. 10 2014 "That's Life," economic simulation faculty participant at North Idaho Correctional Institute 2014 Reviewer for *The Logic of American Politics*, 6th Edition, by Samuel Kernell, 2014 Gary C. Jacobson, Thad Kousser, CQ Press Member of LCSC Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Organization Committee 2012 - 2022Talk on "Inventing Human Rights: A Recent History" at the YWCA, 2020

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Member & Co-founder of LCSC 'Art of Giving' food drive committee Chair of the committee since 2017	2012 –
Organizer and Moderator of Constitution Day at LCSC	2012 -
2024: Book banning in the US and beyond	
2023: Public education and politics in the US and beyond	
2022: Quarantines, vaccinations, and mask mandates in the US and beyond	
2021: Term Limits	
2020: Ratification of the 19th amendment and women's right to vote in the US and beyon	ond
2019: Third Parties	
2018: Native American governments & their relations with state and federal government	nts
2017: Impeachment and Office Removal Procedures	
2016: Elections and Constitutions	
2015: Article 5 and the amendment process	
2014: The 8th Amendment: Cruel and Unusual Punishment	
2013: The 4th Amendment and Domestic Spying	
2012: Voter I.D. Laws and the U.S. Constitution	
Social Science Division Website Coordinator	2012 - 2019
Co-Organizer with League of Women Voters of On-Campus Voter Registration Drive	2012 -
Member of Administrative Procedures Committee	2013 - 2014
Co-Chair of State General Education Reform: Social Science Discipline Group	2013
Reform of Political Science Emphasis Curriculum: Reduction of Graduation Credits	2013
Guest Talk at the LCSC Center for Arts and History: "Inventing Human Rights: A Recent History	ory" 2013
Guest lecturer for Lewiston retired physicians' group – Topic: Eurocrisis – Quo Vadis Europe?	2013
Reforming and streamlining of pre-requisites for upper division Political Science courses	2013
Member of History Search Committee	2013
Moderator of the Native American Awareness Week's Tribal Chairs and Leadership session	2013
Organizer and Moderator for community-wide guest talk on EU – US Trade relations by Tony Lockett, Head of Sector, Web Communication, European Commission	2013
Translating 19 th and early 20 th century documents from German into English for the White Spring Ranch, National Historic Site and Museum, Genesee, ID	2013
Organizer of 2012 Election Night Event at LCSC	2012
Guest speaker on "Comparative Political Institutions" at Occupy Constitution, Eugene	2012
Cited reviewer for Graber, Doris A., ed. Media Power in Politics. 6 ed. Washington, D.C.: CQ	Press 2011
Anonymous reviewer for International Studies Perspective	2006 - 2009

Guest Speaker and Moderator, "Election 2008 Voter Literacy Workshop" organized by the Oregon Brain Trust and Residence Life

Co-organizer & presenter of brown-bag seminar series on qualitative methods, University of Oregon

2008

2005

Student Advising / Mentoring

Supervising research projects and taking four students (Adriana Enriquez-Gonzalez, Nathaniel Koepp Willcoxson, Lexie Ponce, Victoria "Jay" Raulerson) to the Pacific Science Northwest Political Association Conference in Tacoma, Washington State	el 2024
Taking two students (Adriana Enriquez-Gonzalez and Ju Hyun Son) on a field exploration of federal governmental institutions (Congress, Supreme Court, Library of Congress, etc.) in Washington, D.C.	2024
Discovery Day	2024
Warrior Preview	2024
Taking two students (Katelyn Dougherty and Wen Mample) to the Pacific Science Northwest Political Association Conference in Vancouver, British Columbia	2023
Warrior 101 Campus Visitation: Meeting with Junior High/Middle School Students	2023
Clarkston High School Career Fair: Connecting education and career paths	2023
Guest speaker for LCSC International Club	2023
Taking five students (Paytan Hansen, Gwen Mample, Lexie Ponce, Allyse Waggener, and Zachary Murphree) to the Pacific Science Northwest Political Association Conference in Walla-Walla, Washington State	2022
LC Connection Faculty Panel	2022
LC Connection: Welcoming prospective students to the program 202	21 -
Taking four students (Rebekka Kalmbach, Emmanuel Kyei, Bryson Neddo, and Allyse Waggener) to the Pacific Science Northwest Political Association Conference in Portland, Oregon	2021
Supervising research project and taking six students (Loren Beauchamp, Michelle Bernier, Maribel Carrillo, Sammie Girard, Constance Vance, and Jon Wilcoxson) to the Pacific Science Northwest Political Association Conference in Boise, Idaho	2019
Supervising research project and taking five students (Andrew Baron, Loren Beauchamp, Makala Peterson, Elijah Phipps, and Lacey Schmidt) to the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in Bend, Oregon	2018
Supervising research project and taking three students (Shawn Alger-Keough, Alex Cutlip, Elijah Phipto the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in Seattle, Washington State	pps) 2017
Advising and taking four students (Andrew Baron, Sam Elsethagen, Emerald Jenks, Anna Rodriguez) to the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference in Portland, Oregon	2016
Instructional Seminar "The Logic of Politics" as part of the New Student Orientation	2016
Advising high school students during Ready LC recruiting event	2016
Advising student (Heidi Hughes) to attend Idaho Conference on Undergraduate Research at BSU	2015
Supervising research projects and taking three students (Joseph Carter, Renae Pasta, Leticia Scott) to present at the Western Political Science Association Conference in Las Vegas, Nevada	2015
Social Sciences Division Faculty Representation for Career and Advising Services Welcome Events	2015
Advising Trio Students on Social Sciences Program	2015
Recruiting potential majors in the Social Sciences via on-line chats (Google Hangout)	2014
Judge for We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution competition at Orofino High School 20	13 - 2018

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LCSC PoliSci Club Founder and Advisor	2012	-
- Taking students to a ghost tour in downtown Lewiston		2024
- Co-organized spooktacular showdown game night		2024
- Co-organized Presidential Debate Watch		2024
- Taking students to the Asotin County Historical Museum		2024
- Co-organized with the LCSC History Club a Graduate School/Employment/Resume workshop		2023
- Taking students to Escape Puzzle, a local escape room		2023
- Organized graduate research talk on "An Empirical Test of the Relative State Model: A New Model of Risky Decision-Making" by WSU doctoral student Jeffrey Demino		2023
- Co-organized with Native American Club meeting with Nez Perce Tribal Leader		2023
- Discovery Day Student Involvement Fair		2022
- Organized graduate research talk on "States of Detention, Crisis, and Exception(alism in American Immigration Politics" by LCSC alumnus and UO doctoral student Dusti	/	2022
- Taking students to the Nez Perce County Historical Society and Museum		2022
- Organized conversation with Idaho House Representative Lori McCann		2022
- Taking students to the local field offices of U.S. Senators Crapo and Risch		2021
- Taking students to the WSU Foley Institute Pizza & Politics Series talk on "Brexit" b Professors Todd Butler and Craig Parsons	У	2019
 Taking students to the 72nd Borah Symposium's keynote address by former US Amba to the United Nations Samantha Power on "Climate & Conflict" 	ıssador	2019
- \$240 ASLCSC grant for helping with expenses related to the Art of Giving food drive	e	2019
- Organized graduate research talk on "Rebelling against Revolution: Explaining New Wars in Revolutionary States" by Gentry Jenkins and "Themes of the Egyptian Arab in Music" by Caitlin Rusche		2019
- Organized talk by U.S. Department of State Foreign Service Officer Steward Devine		2018
- Taking students to the 70th Borah Symposium's keynote address by Nobel Peace Priz And human rights activist Shirin Ebadi on "The Role of Women in World Peace"	ze winner	2017
- \$300 REACH Coalition award to organize campus board game evening		2017
- Co-organizing field trip with a group of over a dozen students to meet with members Idaho Supreme Court, the Idaho Legislature, and Idaho's Secretary of State in Boise	of the	2016
- Super Tuesday Election Watch		2016
- Volunteer Work at Wedgewood Terrace Nursing Home		2016
- Co-sponsored Presidential Debate Watch		2016
- Volunteer Work at St. Vincent de Pau		2015
- Organized "Up from debt" public talk		2015
- Organized talk by Air Force Maj. Jim Connell on flying nuclear missions during the	Cold War	2014
- Organized candidate debate for Idaho Senate District 6		2014
- Organized CV & Resume Workshops	2014 &	2015

Curriculum Vitae

- Organized Meet & Greet with Idaho Democratic Party state & local officials 2014

- Volunteer Work at the Lewiston Library

2014

- Helping the League of Women Voters of the Lewis Clark Valley to organize candidate forums for local elections since 2015
- Co-sponsoring the Idaho and Washington Directories of Elected Officials printed by the League of Women Voters of the Lewis Clark Valley since 2013
- LC-Valley-wide Civic Engagement Essay Competition

2013 - 2015

- Award winner of best new club of the year in 2013
- Donated \$100 to Asotin County Food Bank, CAP, Nez Perce Tribe USDA Food & Nutrition, St Vincent de Paul Food Bank, and the Warrior Food Pantry in 2021.
- Donated \$345 to Asotin County Food Bank, CAP, Nez Perce Tribe USDA Food & Nutrition, St Vincent de Paul Food Bank, and the Warrior Food Pantry in 2021.
- Donated \$1286 to Asotin County Food Bank, YWCA, CAP, St. Vincent de Paul, and the Warrior Food Pantry in 2019
- Donated \$904 to Asotin County Food Bank, YWCA, CAP, the Roc Rescue Mission, St. Vincent de Paul and the Warrior Food Pantry in 2018
- Donated \$1575 to Asotin County Food Bank, YWCA, CAP, the Roc Rescue Mission, and St. Vincent de Paul in 2017
- Donated \$1460 to Asotin County Food Bank, YWCA, CAP, the Roc Rescue Mission, and St. Vincent de Paul in 2016
 - Donated \$1450 to Asotin County Food Bank, YWCA, CAP, the Roc Rescue Mission, and St. Vincent de Paul in 2015
 - Donated \$2000 to Asotin County Food Bank, YWCA, CAP, and St. Vincent de Paul in 2014
 - Donated \$1000 to YWCA and CAP in Lewiston 2013

LCSC Model EU Advisor and Judge at the West Coast Model EU

2012 -

Honorary Mention Awards won in 2014 (Dustin Ellis), 2017 (Andrew J. Baron), 2018 (Elijah Phipps), and 2019 (Owen Blair); Outstanding Position Paper Award won in 2024 (Victoria "Jay" Raulerson)

Technical Advisor for Eugene International High School Senior Project	2012
Guest lecturer for AP European History classes, South Eugene High School	2012
Honor's Thesis Advisor, University of Oregon	2011 - 2012

IntroDuckTion Freshman & Transfer Student Advisor, University of Oregon 2006 - 2011

UO Model EU Advisor and Judge at the West Coast Model EU 2005 - 2010

UO panel participant preparing new international graduate students to 2004, 2007 - 2008 teach for the 1st time in American classrooms

Teaching Experience

Instructor

Lewis-Clark State College

Fall 2012 -

• Courses taught:

GEOG 102 Introduction to Geography; POLS 101 American National Government; POLS 237 International Politics: POLS 285 Comparative Government: POLS 285 Directed Study: Comparative Government (Alex Riendeau); POLS 292: American Local and State Government; POLS 300 International Political Economy; POLS 370 Political Communication; POLS 390 Directed Study: Model European Simulation (Asher Hyten; Zachary Murphree, Nathaniel Koeppel Willcoxson; Victoria "Jay" Raulerson); POLS 394 Internship: State Senator Dan Johnson (Leticia Scott); POLS 394 – Internship: Idaho Democrats (James Feucht, Abbie Olson and Jesse Maldonado); POLS 394 - Internship: Veritas Advisors, LLP (Jennie Williams); POLS 394 – Internship: Idaho House Minority Leader Dr. Rusche (Leonardo Solovyov); POLS 394 - Internship: Elections (Ariel Bencomo, Bryce Goodenough, Elijah Phipps, Sila Rachel); POLS 394 – Internship International Programs (Elijah Phipps); POLS 394 – Internship: Campaign Managing I (Amanda Gill); POLS 394 – Internship: College of Western Idaho (Laura Maupin); POLS 394 - Internship: Nez Perce County Poll Worker 2020 Elections (John Coil, Benjamin Gerthung, Kaelyn Lyons); POLS 394 – Internship: Interlink, Inc. (Loren Beauchamp); POLS 394 – Internship: Voces Idaho (Lexie Ponce); POLS 394 – Internship: U.S. Senator Crapo Regional Office (Adriana Enriquez-Gonzalez); POLS 394 – Internship: Nez Perce County Poll Worker 2024 Elections (Amélie Hoffmann, Tristan Hoffmann, Lexie Ponce, Eliana Reames, Cecilia Roemer, Keira Rourick); POLS 399 Research Assistantship (Sandra Kelley); POLS 465 Globalization & the State; POLS 490 – Directed Study: The Indispensable Nation? American Hegemony and Decline (Dustin Ellis); POLS 492 European Politics; POLS 494 – Internship: State Senator Dan Johnson (Leticia Scott); POLS 495 - Practicum: State Senator Johnson (Leticia Scott); POLS 495 - Practicum: Idaho Legislature (Shawn Alger-Keough); SS 499 Research Project and Seminar in Social Sciences; SS 499 Directed Study: Senior Research (Shayla Ryan; Kayla Burnim; Constance Vance)

Development of an experimental course version of POLS 285 offered to incarcerated people - Taught inaugurally at Idaho Correctional Institution Orofino (ICIO) in fall 2024	2024
Development of an experimental course version of GEOG 102 offered to incarcerated people - Taught inaugurally at Idaho Correctional Institution Orofino (ICIO) in fall 2023	2023
Development of an experimental course version of POLS 101 offered to incarcerated people - Taught inaugurally at Idaho Correctional Institution Orofino (ICIO) in fall 2022	2022
Developing a cross-listed GEOG section for POLS 465 to become GEOG/POLS 465 Globalization, Geography, & State to support Secondary Education students	2022
Development of an on-line course version of POLS 101 American National Government	2017
Development of an on-line course version of GEOG 102 Introduction to Geography	2016
Development of course challenge exam material, including self-assessment tools for GEOG 102	2016
Development of an on-line course version of POLS 285 Comparative Government	2015

University of Oregon Summer 2007 – 2012

• Courses taught:

PS 101 Modern World Governments; PS 324 European Politics; PS 337 The Politics of Development; PS 349 Mass Media and American Politics; PS 399 Eastern Europe after Communism, PS 401 Research; BE 610 Global Business Environment (co-taught)

University of Osnabrück, Germany

Summer 2010

• Course taught:

400/500-level course on comparative federalism titled "Escaping the uniqueness trap: The EU and the US in comparative perspective"

Portland State University Winter 2003

• Course taught:

Mgmt 407 / 507 Introduction to the European Union

Teaching Assistant

University of Oregon 2003 - 2007

• Courses:

PS 104 Problems in U.S Politics: The Politics of Crime; PS 204 Introduction to Comparative Politics; PS 205 Introduction to International Relations; PS 324 European Politics; PS 337 The Politics of Development; PS 340 International Political Economy; PS 347 Political Power Influence and Control; PS 348 Women and Politics; PS 399 The Political Economy of North-South Relations; PS 410 The European Union; PS 422 Human Rights and U.S. Foreign Policy

Additional Teaching Experience

Kids College Summer Course, "Let's Learn About German Culture", Lewis-Clark State College	2017 - 2019
Conversations Across Time Webinar Lecturer – Topic: "A retrospect on American and global capitalism in the 20 th century"	2013
Guest lecturer for the Senior Summer School, Inc.	2011
Extra Curriculum German & French teacher, 2 nd – 5 th grade, Kids Like Languages, Portland, Oregon	2002 - 2003
Extra tuition English & French teacher, Studienkreis Herten, Germany	2001
Evening seminar teacher on European affairs, VHS Herten (Adult education center), Germany	2000 - 2001
German language teacher, languagelink@World Trade Center, Portland, Oregon,	2000
Homework tutor for refugees from the former Yugoslavia, voluntary work, Germany	1992 – 1994

Professional Experience

Guest on KRLC 1350am's talk radio program "Opinion Please"	2017 & 2023
Interview with German newspaper <i>Hertener Allgemeine</i> on LCSC, life in the USA and guest talk by Herten mayor. Dr. Uli Paetzel, published on October 13 and follow-up on October 17	2015
Interview with KLEW TV News on GOP August 6 primary debate available at: http://klewtv.com/news/local/local-political-expert-says-primary-debate-was-all-about-money-and-recognition	2015
Dual Credit – Instructor of Record for area high schools: Asotin, Clarkston, Genesee, Grangeville Lewiston, Orofino, Potlatch - American National Government and Comparative Politics	, 2012 -
Research Assistant for Craig Parsons, forthcoming book "Reclaiming Politics: Introduction to Political Science", Pearson Longman	2011 - 2014
Panelist on China Radio International's current affairs program "Today": Post-mortem on the German federal election: Recorded show accessible at: - http://english.cri.cn/8706/2013/09/24/2861s789093.htm	2013
Research Assistant for National Science Foundation Grant No. 0318374 entitled "Analysis of the effects of environmental treaties", principal investigator: Ronald B. Mitchell	2005
Independent Consultant, AHA International, Oregon, USA - Evaluating the potential of an academic exchange program focusing on business courses with Cologne, Germany; coordinating the set-up efforts	2002 - 2003
Research Analyst, International Sustainable Development Foundation, Oregon, USA - researching and summarizing information for a report on the development of criteria and benchmarks for Green Hotels in Thailand	2002
Project Assistant, Multicultural Project Rainbow, Caritas Herten, Germany - co-managing a team of 50 employees from 20 different countries; interim project and fundraising reports; co-organization of local Christmas market; liaison to local media; translations; creating and keeping statistics	2001 - 2002
Internships	
European Parliament, Brussels, Belgium *Personal assistant to MEP Jutta Haug - liaison to the electorate and institutions; compilation of dossiers, translation	1998 and 2001
Oregon Economic & Community Development Department *Research analyst, for the International Division* - research studies on Oregon's main trading partners, preparation and assessment of trade in the community of the community	1998 and 2000 missions
American Chamber of Commerce (UK), London Event coordinator & administrative assistant - liaison to member's offices; organizing special receptions, among others, with Her Majesty Elizabeth II and His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh	1999
Hearth Classics, Boring, Oregon	1997

Assistant manager
- liaison to clients and suppliers in the USA and Belgium

Alternate Service as Conscientious Objector

Caritas Herten Refugee and Immigrant Counseling Office, Germany

1995 - 1996

Counselor and office assistant

- counseling refugees from the former Yugoslavia, Zaire, Rwanda and Russian immigrants of German descent; co-organization of a summer vacation program for children; publication of a research project: Hoffmann, Leif, Schmülling, Kriemhild. *Hier Ist Doch Ein Biβchen Anders: Dokumentation Über Hertener Aussiedler Aus Der Ehemaligen Sowietunion*. Herten: Caritasverband Herten, 1995.

Languages

German: Native Speaker

English: Fluent spoken and written
French: Fluent spoken and written
Spanish: Working knowledge

Italian: Basic knowledge

Latin: Latinum (5-year equivalency)

Professional Memberships

American Political Science Association

Section Membership: Comparative Politics

Section Membership: European Politics and Society

European Union Studies Association

Pacific Northwest Political Science Association