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BIO:

Valerie Martinez-Ebers is a University Distinguished Research Professor of Political Science and Director of the Latina/o and Mexican American Studies Program at the University of North Texas. She is a former Vice-President of the American Political Science Association and a former President of the Western Political Science Association. From 2012-2016, she served as Co-Editor of the *American Political Science Review*, the flagship journal in political science. Dr. Martinez-Ebers has published widely on a variety of topics associated with the politics of race and ethnicity, including articles in all the top journals of her discipline. She is co-author of *Politicas: Latina Public Officials in Texas* (2008); *Latino Lives in America: Making it Home* (2010), *Latinos in the New Millennium: An Almanac of Opinion, Behavior and Policy Preferences* (2012), *Human Relations Commissions:* *Relieving Racial Tensions in the American City* (2020) and *The American Professor Pundit: Academics in the World of US Political Media* (2021).She also edited *Perspectives on Race, Ethnicity and Religion: Identity Politics in America* (2009)*,* an anthology that examines the history, dynamics and policy issues of minority groups in the United States. She was a co-principal investigator for the 2006 Latino National Survey, an 8,643-respondent, state-stratified survey funded by the Ford, Carnegie, Russell Sage, Hewlett, Joyce, and National Science Foundations.

Education:

 1990 Ph.D. Ohio State University, Political Science, dissertation:

“Senior Citizens as an Emerging Force in American Politics”

1983 M.P.A. University of North Texas, Public Administration

##### 1980 B.S. University of North Texas, Education, *Summa cum Laude*

academic employment

2017- present Director, Latina/o and Mexican American Studies Program, UNT

2016-present University Distinguished Research Professor, UNT

2008-2016 Professor, Department of Political Science, University of North Texas (UNT)

2008 Professor, Department of Political Science, Texas Christian University

1998-2007 Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Texas Christian University

1997 Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of North Texas

1991-1996 Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of North Texas

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Policy Analysis and Program Evaluation, especially Education, Policing, and Immigration

Race, Ethnicity and Politics, especially Intergroup Relations, Latinos and African Americans Political Behavior

Methods of Data Collection, especially Survey Research, Focus Groups and Experiments

Grassroots Politics and Social Movements, especially Immigrant Rights and Black Lives Matter

Scholarly and Creative Activities:

1. Refereed Publications:
   1. BOOKS:

Calfano, B., **Martinez-Ebers, V**. and Ramusovic, A. 2021 .*The American Professor Pundit: Academics in the World of US Political Media*. NYC and London: Palgrave McMillan.

Calfano, B. and **Martinez-Ebers, V.** 2020.*Human Relations Commissions: Relieving Racial Tensions in the American City,* NYC, NY: Columbia University Press.

Fraga, R., Garcia, J., Hero, R., Jones-Correa, M., **Martinez-Ebers, V.** and Segura, G. 2012*.**Latinos in the New Millennium: An Almanac of Opinion, Behavior and Policy Preferences.* NYC and Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

# Fraga, R., Garcia, J., Hero, R., Jones-Correa, M., Martinez-Ebers, V. and Segura, G. 2010. *Latino Lives in America: Making It Home*. Philadelphia, PA: Temple University Press.

**Martinez-Ebers, V.** and Dorraj, M. Editors. 2009. *Perspectives on Race, Ethnicity and Religion: Identity Politics in America*. New York City, NY: Oxford University Press.

Garcia, S., **Martinez-Ebers, V**., Coronado, I., Jaramillo, P. and Navarro, S. January 2008. Politicas: Latina Trailblazers in the Texas Political Arena. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press:

B. ARTICLES

Feinberg, A., Branton, R. and **Martinez-Ebers, V.** 2022. “The Trump Effect: How 2016 Campaign Rallies Explain Spikes in Hate” *PS: Political Science & Politics*, Volume 55 , Issue 2 , April 2022 , pp. 257 – 265, at <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1049096521001621>

Branton, R. P., Carey, T. E., & **Martinez-Ebers**, V. (2021). Lethal Engagement: The Relationship Between Contextual Exposure to Police Killings and External Political Efficacy. *Political Behavior*, 1-21, at https://doi.org/10.1007/s11109-021-09760-4.

**Martinez-Ebers, V.,** Branton, R. and Calfano, B. 2021. “The Impact of Subjective Social Position on Public Evaluations of Police” *Social Science Quarterly*. Published online before print March 30, 2021, at <https://doi.org/10.1111/ssqu.12941>.

Silva, A., Esparza, D., **Martinez-Ebers, V**. and Branton, R. 2020. “Perceived Police Performance, Racial Experiences, and Trust in Local Government.” *Politics, Groups and Identities.* Volume 10, Issue 3, pp. 343-366. <https://doi.org/10.1080/21565503.2020.1824122>.

Esparza, D., **Martinez-Ebers, V**., Branton, R., King, K., and Meernik, J. 2020. “Violence, Trust, and Public Support for the Colombian Peace Agreement.” *Social Science Quarterly*.Published online before print June 10, 2020, at <http://doi.org/10.1111/ssqu.12818>.

**Martinez-Ebers, V.,** Calfano, B. and Branton, R. 2019 “Bringing People Together: Improving Intergroup Relations via Group Identity Cues.” *Urban Affairs Review*. Published online before print June 9, 2019, at [doi.org/10.1177/1078087419853390](https://doi.org/10.1177%2F1078087419853390)

**Martinez-Ebers, V.**  2016. “Local Control and Realities in the Relationship Between IRBs and Political Science Research” *PS: Political Science and Politics*, Volume 49, Number 2.

Carey Jr., T.E., **Martinez-Ebers**, **V.,** Matsubayashi, T., and Paolino, P. 2015. “Eres Amigo o Enemigo?: Contextual Determinants of Latinos’ Perceived Group Competition with African Americans.” *Urban Affairs Review*. Published online before print, March 25, 2015, doi:10.1177/1078087415574347

Branton, B., **Martinez-Ebers, V.**, Carey Jr., T.E., and Matsubayashi, T.. 2015. “Social Protest and Policy Attitudes: The Case of the 2006 Immigrant Rallies*.” American Journal of Political Science.* Volume 59, Number 2.

Carey Jr. T.E., Branton, R. and **Martinez-Ebers, V.**. 2014 “The Influence of Social Protest on Issue Salience among Latinos.” *Political Research Quarterly*. Volume 67, Issue 3.

Carey Jr. T.E., Matsubayashi, T., Branton, B. and **Martinez-Ebers, V.**  2013. “The Determinants and Political Consequences of Latinos' Perceived Intra-group Competition.” *Politics, Groups and Identities*, Volume 1, Number 3.

Barreto, Matt A., Fraga, L. Manzano, S., **Martinez-Ebers, V.**, and Segura, G. 2008. “Should They Dance with the One Who Brung ‘Em?’ Latinos and the 2008 Presidential Election,” *PS: Political Science and Politics*. Volume 41, Number 4.

Fraga, L., Lopez, L., **Martinez-Ebers, V**. and Ramirez, R. 2007. "Gender and Ethnicity: Patterns of Representation and Advocacy Among Latina and Latino Legislators," *Journal of Women, Politics & Policy*. Volume. 28, Number 4.

Fraga, R., Garcia, J., Hero, R., Jones-Correa, M., **Martinez-Ebers, V**. and Segura, G. 2006. “Su Casa Es Nuestra Casa: Latino Politics Research and the Development of American Political Science,” *American Political Science Review*, November, Volume. 10, Number. 4.

Leal, D., **Martinez-Ebers, V** and Meier, K. 2004. “The Politics of Latino Education: the Biases of At-Large Elections” *Journal of Politics*, November, Volume 66, Number 4 .

Godwin, K., Godwin, J. and **Martinez-Ebers, V**. 2004. “Civic Socialization in Public and Fundamentalist Schools,” *Social Science Quarterly*, December, Volume 85, Number 5.

Godwin, K., Ausbrooks, C., and **Martinez-Ebers, V**. 2001. “Teaching Tolerance in Public and Private Schools,” *Phi Delta Kappan,* March 1; https://doi.org/10.1177/003172170108200713

**Martinez-Ebers, V**., Fraga, L., Lopez, L. and Vega, A.. 2000. “Latino Interests in Education, Health and Criminal Justice Policy,” *PS: Political Science and Politics*, September, Volume 34, Number 3.

Godwin, K., Kemerer, F., **Martinez-Ebers, V**. and Ruderman, R., 1998. “Liberal Equity in Education: A Comparison of Choice Options,” *Social Science Quarterly*, September, Volume 79, Number 3.

Godwin ,K., Kemerer, F., **Martinez-Ebers, V**., and Ruderman, R., 1998. “Equity, Diversity and Tolerance in Education,” *Social Science Quarterly*, September 1998, Volume 79, Number 3.

**Martinez-Ebers, V**. 1997. "Using Monetary Incentives with Hard-To-Reach Populations in Panel Surveys," *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, Spring, Volume 9, Number 2.

**Martinez-Ebers, V**., Godwin, R.K. and Kemerer, F.R. 1995. "The Consequences of School Choice: Who Leaves and Who Stays in the Inner City," *Social Science Quarterly,* September, Volume 76, Number 3.

**Martinez-Ebers, V.**, Godwin, R.K. and Kemerer, F.R 1995. "More on Consequences," *Social Science Quarterly*, September, Volume 76, Number 3.

**Martinez-Ebers, V** 1994. **"**Latinos and the 1992 Elections in Texas: High Expectations for Political Gains," Harvard *Journal of Hispanic Policy*, Winter, Volume 6.

**Martinez-Ebers, V.**, Thomas, K. and Kemerer, F.R. 1994. "Who Chooses and Why: A Look at Five School Choice Plans," *Phi Delta Kappan*, May.

C. BOOK CHAPTERS

Calfano, B., **Martinez-Ebers, V**., Beutel, A. and Carey, T. 2019. “Negotiating Muslim and American Identities” in *Understanding Muslim Political Life in America: (Contested Citizenship in the Twenty-first Century.*  Edited by Brian R. Calfano and Nazita Lajevardi. Philadelphia: Temple University Press.

Nuñez-Janes, M., Kraehe, A. M., Silva, A., Re Cruz, A., Combes, B. H., & **Martinez-Ebers, V**. (2018). La Colectiva: Peer mentoring on the path to thrival”. In *Counternarratives from Women of Color Academics: Bravery, Vulnerability, and Resistance.* Edited by Manya Whitaker and Eric Grollman. NYC: Routledge.

Bejarano, C. and **Martinez-Ebers, V.** 2017. “Latina Mobilization: A Strategy for Increasing the Political Participation for Latino Families,” in *The Legacy of Second-Wave Feminism in American Politics,* Edited by Todd Shields and Angela Maxwell. NYC: Palgrave Macmillan

Leal, D. L., **Martinez-Ebers, V**. and K. J. Meier, 2010. "Reexamining the Effect of Electoral Structure on Representation: Latino Education Politics, 1986 and 2001," in *The Politics of Hispanic Education Revisited.* Edited by by David L. Leal and Kenneth J. Meier, New York: Columbia University Press.

Fraga, L., **Martinez-Ebers, V**., Lopez, L. and Ramirez, R. 2008. “Representing Gender and Ethnicity: Strategic Intersectionality.” In Beth Reingold , Ed., *Legislative Women: Getting Elected, Getting Ahead*. Lynne Reiner Publishers.

**Martinez- Ebers, V**. and Avalos, M. 2007. “We’ve come A Long Way but Not Far Enough: The Status of Latinos and Latino Politics Research in Political Science,” in *Latino Politics: Identity, Mobilization, and Representation,* edited by David Leal, Kenneth Meier and Rudolfo Espino. Charlottesville VA: University of Virginia Press .

Godwin, R.K., Kemerer, F.R., **Martinez-Ebers, V.**.1998 “Comparing Public Choice with Private Voucher Programs in San Antonio.” In *Learning from School Choice*. Edited by Paul Peterson and Bryan Hassel, Washington D.C: Brookings Institution Press , 1998.

**Martinez, V.J**., Godwin, R.K. and Kemerer, F.R.,1996. "The Impact of Thematic Schools of Choice in San Antonio." In *Who Chooses? Who Loses? Culture, Institutions, and the Unequal Effects of School Choice*. Edited by Bruce Fuller and Richard Elmore,with Gary Orfield. NY: Teachers College Press, Spring 1996.

**Martinez, V.J.**, 1996. "Unfulfilled Expectations for Political Gains in Texas" In *Ethnic Ironies: Latinos in the 1992 Elections*. Edited by Rudolfo de la Garza and Louis DeSipio. Westview Press.

**Martinez, V.J**., Godwin, R.K. and Kemerer, F.R., 1995. "Private School Choice in San Antonio." In *Private Voucher Programs*. Edited by Terry Moe. Stanford, CA: Hoover Institution Press.

Invited and Non-refereed Publications:

Feinberg, A., Branton, R and **Martinez-Ebers, V**. “Counties that hosted a 2016 Trump rally saw a 226 percent increase in hate crimes” *Washington Post Monkey Cage*, March 22, 2019, <https://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/2019/03/22/trumps-rhetoric-does-inspire-more-hate-crimes/>

**Martinez-Ebers, V.**, “Five Myths About Latino Voters,” *Washington Post*, October 5, 2012, http://articles.washingtonpost.com/2012-10-05/opinions/35498945\_1\_latino-voters-latinos-favor-latinos-support

Bowler, S., Kaufman-Osborn, T, **Martinez-Ebers**, **V**, Meier, K., and Schmidt, R. (March 2013), “How PGI Came to be…” *Politics, Groups and Identities,* Volume 1, Issue 1.

**Martinez-Ebers, V**., Avalos, M., Hardy-Fanta, C., Lopez, L., Segura, G., and Schmidt, Sr., R. “Special Report: An Update on the Status of Latinos y Latinas: What the Profession Should Be Doing,” *PS*: *Political Science and Politics.* December 2000, Vol 34, Number 4.

**Martinez, V. J.,** Godwin, R.K. and Kemerer, F.R., "San Antonio School Choice Project**:** Overview of Findings for 1992-93." *Private School Monitor*, Volume 16, Number 13, Spring 1995

**Martinez, V.J**., "Pendleton Herring." In *American Political Scientists: A Dictionary,* edited by Glenn Utter and Charles Lockhart.Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 1993.

**Martinez, V.J**., "Fredric Austin Ogg." In *American Political Scientists: A Dictionary,* edited by Glenn Utter and Charles Lockhart.Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 1993.

**Martinez, V. J**., Roush, R.E. and Luffer-Williams, M., "Geriatric Education Centers in the Southwest: A Resource for the Region," *The Southwestern Journal of Aging*, Spring 1992, Volume 8, 1.

Patterson, S., Bailey, M. and **Martinez, V.J**., "Report of the Managing Editor of the American Political Science Review, 1986-87." In *PS*. September 1987, Volume 20, 4.

**Martinez, V.J**., "Legal Services for the Poor: Resources, Problems and Strategies." In *Topics in Human Services Administration*. Denton, TX: Human Services Laboratory, 1981**.**

External Grants Received:

Research Title/Responsibility Source Amount received Appl. Date

Human Relations in Cincinnati Cincinnati 10,000 03/17

(co-principal investigator) United Front

Human Relations in Pittsburgh City of Pittsburgh 25,000 011/16

(co-principal investigator)

Human Relations in Los Angeles National Science 25,000 07/15

(co-principal investigator) Foundation

Media coverage of Immigration Immigration 5,000 07/11

(co-principal investigator) Studies Center

Media coverage of Immigration Sp. Language 7,000 12/10

(co-principal investigator) Media Center

Latino National Survey National Science 203,600 06/05

Contextual Database Foundation

(co-principal investigator)

Latino National Survey Texas A& M 80,000 04/05

(co-principal investigator) University

Latino National Survey Joyce 200,000 01/05

(co-principal investigator) Foundation

Latino National Survey Carnegie 200,000 10/04

(co-principal investigator) Foundation

Latino National Survey Russell 200, 000 08/04

(co-principal investigator) Sage

Latino National Survey Irvine 150,000 07/04

(co-principal investigator) Foundation

Latino National Survey Ford 200,000 06/04

(co-principal investigator) Foundation 30,000 04/03

Latino National Survey Start-up Hewlett 125,000 09/02

(co-principal investigator) Foundation

Modeling Students’ Political Spencer 27,600 03/99

Tolerance & Democratic Norms Foundation

(consultant)

San Antonio Educational Choice Walton 15,000 09/96

(principal investigator) Foundation

San Antonio Educational Choice Spencer 11,000 01/94

(principal investigator) Foundation

San Antonio Educational Choice U.S. Dept. 88,000 11/92

(principal investigator) Education

Research Opportunity Grant University of 3,000 11/92

(principal investigator) North Texas

San Antonio Educational Choice Covenant 10,000 10/92

(principal investigator) Foundation

San Antonio Educational Choice Ewing Hasell 20,000 10/92

(principal investigator) Foundation

San Antonio Educational Choice USAA 10,000 08/92

(co-principal investigator)

AWARDS AND HONORS

Adaljiza Sosa-Riddell Mentor Award for Exemplary Mentoring of Latino/a Graduate Students in Political Science, American Political Science Association, Latino Caucus in Political Science 2022

Lifetime Achievement Award, American Political Science Association, Latino Caucus in Political Science, 2021

Dr. Bertina Combes Outstanding Educator, University of North Texas, Multicultural Center, 2021

University Distinguished Research Professor, University of North Texas, 2016, Renewed in 2021

Betty Moulds Lifetime Service Award, Western Political Science Association, 2020.

Distinguished Career and Service Award, Midwest Political Science Association Latino Caucus. 2016

Hispanic Women’s Network of Texas Latina Trailblazer Award, 2016

Outstanding Service and Leadership Award, American Political Science Association Latino Caucus in Political Science, 2006

Adaljiza Sosa-Riddell Undergraduate Student Mentoring Award, American Political Science Association Latino Caucus in Political Science, 2004

Intercultural Service Faculty Award, university-wide teaching and mentoring. award bestowed by minority and international students, Texas Christian University, 2003

Minority Alumni Award, for dedication and service to the university and minority students, University of North Texas, 1995

‘Fessor Graham University-wide Teaching Award, University of North Texas, 1992

# RESEARCH OR WRITING CURRENTLY IN PROGRESS

*Victims of Victory: Race, Politics and America’s Prosperity Gospel*

(with Brian Calfano, Paul Djupe and Tony Carey).

Status: Under contract with Columbia University Press. Manuscript is finished and in press.

The text examines the variable effects of religious values, specifically prosperity gospel theology, on the support America’s largest racial/ethnic minority groups have for social welfare policies. Building on elements of both the religion and politics and race and ethnic politics literature, the work leverages a variety of methodological approaches and used both quantitative and qualitative data, including a nationwide survey experiment, to understand orientations toward government domestic spending among evangelical Christians who are African American and Latina/o. We also include consideration of White evangelicals as a baseline reference group. Our empirical finding is that, despite similar challenges in contemporary American politics, African and Latina/o Americans react differently when exposed to religious values that accentuate individualism versus social welfare. Irrespective of their religious values or personal resources, African Americans favor progressive social welfare policies, while the policy preferences of Latinos are more complicated and context dependent, e.g., immigrants are more influenced by Prosperity Gospel doctrine that native born Latinos. Both African American and Latino attitudes are in sharp contrast to white evangelicals who consistently support personal initiative and private philanthropy over government spending on social programs.

*Building Better Police Departments: Empowering Local Communities and Enforcing Change* (With Brian Calfano and Diego Esparza)

Status: Under contract with University of Michigan Press. Introduction and two chapter completed.

The proposed text is intended to be a highly professionalized best practices study that is aimed at city administrators and local elected officials. The book is based on extensive field research in the local governments of Los Angeles, Cincinnati, Fort Worth, and (if funding allows) Baltimore or Atlanta, along with focus groups and surveys of community residents and police officers in each city, and an analysis of comparative policies gleaned from other advanced industrialized countries to provide a framework for practitioners and analysts alike in successfully reforming America’s local police forces. To date, we have surveyed 1,250 community members and 500 police officers in Cincinnati. We also surveyed 3, 991 community residents and 890 police officers in Fort Worth.  All the surveys were conducted online using Qualtrics and they were conducted under the auspices/sponsorship of the office of the Police Monitor in Fort Worth and the office of Citizen Complaint Authority in Cincinnati.  Having just completed interviews and focus groups this past summer with members of the LAPD, we hope to soon be in the field with our community residents and officer surveys in LA.

“Competitive or Reinforcing? Cable News Coverage of BLM and COVID” (With Brian Calfano and Aida Romusovic)

Status: Submitted to *Politics, Groups and Identities*

“Difference in Opinion? Effects of Hard News and User Comments on Media Use and Political Outgroup Perceptions” (with Brian Calfano)

Status: preparing to revise and resubmit to *Political Communication*

Participation on Panels at Scholarly Meetings:

Paper presenter, “The Impact of Subjective Social Position on Attitudes Regarding Economic Inequality ,” Southern Political Science Association Meeting, St. Petersburg, FL, January 11, 2023.

Paper presenter, “The Impact of Police Behavior on Individual Trust in Local, State, and Federal Governments.” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland OR, March 11, 2022.

Paper presenter, “How Police Killings Shape Political Participation,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (virtual panel), September 30, 2022.

Paper co-author, “Stronger Together? Linked Fate and Voter Preferences in the 2020 Election.” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Montreal Canada, September 15, 2022.

Paper presenter, “Commissioning Reform: Human Relations and Citizen Oversight” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting (Virtual). April 1, 2021.

Paper presenter, “Are There Really ‘Ties That Bind’? Core Values and Common Beliefs Among Latinx, Black, and Asian Pacific Americans” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting (Virtual). April 2, 2021.

Paper presenter, “Mapping the Ideological Contours of Black and Latinx Opinion,” National Conference of Black Political Scientists, (Virtual). March 2021.

Speaker. “The Role of Religion in the Policy Preferences of African Americans and Latinx”, On the Corner: Nexus at the Political Intersection of Race and Religion Research Symposium (virtual), January 15, 2021

Paper presenter, “Perceived Police Performance, Racial Experiences, and Trust in Local Government.” American Political Science Association. Virtual Meeting, September 31, 2020.

Paper presenter, “ Public Evaluations of Peace in Colombia,” The Public and Democracy in the Americas Conference, Bogotá Columbia, October 26, 2019.

Speaker, “Caras Latinas en el Espejo: Representation and Latina Elected Officials“ Imagining Latinidades in Global and National Perspectives Conference, Iowa City, University of Iowa, September 20, 2019, <https://imagininglatinidades.lib.uiowa.edu/schedule/imagining-latinidades-in-global-and-national-perspective>

Paper presenter, “Race and Trust in Local Government: A Focus on Police Behavior” American Political Science Association, Washington D.C., August 30, 2019

Paper presenter, “The Trump Effect? Political Rallies and Hate Crime Contagion” Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, April 18, 2019.

Paper presenter, “Local Police Violence and the Political Participation of Marginalized Groups” American Political Science Association, Boston, September 1, 2018.

Conference organizer and chair, “Looking Back and Moving Forward: Celebrating the 20th Anniversary of the Founding of the APSA El Sector Latino de Ciencia Politica (Latino Caucus of Political Science).” American Political Science Association, Boston, August 29, 2018.

Paper presenter, “State Sanctioned Violence, Black Lives Matter and the Propensity for Different Forms of Political Participation” Western Political science Association, March 31, 2018.

Paper presenter and Discussant,” Policing the Public: Citizens’ Perceptions of Community-Police Relations” American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 1, 2017.

Discussant, “Identity Politics and the 2016 US Presidential Election” American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 1, 2017.

Chair and Discussant, “Internal and External Pressures of Latino Politics” American Political Science Association, San Francisco, August 31, 2017

Paper Presenter, “Fifty Years After Watts: Superordinate Identity and Intergroup Relations,” American Political Science Association, Washington D. C., September 2, 2016.

Paper Presenter, "Collective Identity and Intergroup Relations in Los Angeles: 50 Years After Watts” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Diego CA, April 25, 2016.

Keynote Speaker, “Latina Mobilization” Gender and Citizenship Conference, Texas A&M University, College Station TX, February 21, 2016.

Presenter, “I Did it, I am Tenured Now What?”, Women of Color in Political Science Workshop 2015, San Francisco, September 2, 2015

Paper Presenter, “Rockin’ Poll: Popular Music’s Effect as a Political Heuristic,” American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 2,3, 2015

Paper Presenter, “The Influence of Social Protests on Issue Salience Among Latinos”, Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Hollywood CA, April 18, 2014.

Presenter, “Meet the Editors”, Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Hollywood CA, April 18, 2014.

Paper presenter, “Group Attitudes toward Immigration: Symbolic Racism and Realistic Group Conflict”, Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Hollywood CA, April 19, 2014.

Paper Discussant, “Political and Social Incorporation”, Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago IL, April 13, 2013

Presenter, “Getting Published in the APSR”, Symposium on the Politics of Immigration, Race, and Ethnicity, Rutgers University , May 10, 2013

Key Note Speaker, “Latinos in the New Millennium”, Leading for the Future Lecture Series, Ohio Wesleyan University, April 16, 2013

Speaker, “Publishing Your Health Policy Research in a General Interest Journal”, symposium on contemporary Health Disparities Research, Texas A&M University, May 16, 2013

Presenter, Theme Panel: “Has Obama's Re-Election Changed the Outlook for Pan-"Minority" Coalitions?” APSA Annual Meeting, Chicago Il, Aug 29, 2013

Paper presenter, “Social Protests and Policy Attitudes: the Case of the 2006 Immigrant rights Rallies” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland OR, March 23, 2012

Discussant, “Race, Ethnicity and Public Opinion,” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland OR, March 24, 2012

Roundtable discussant, “Meet the Editors, ” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland OR, March 24, 2012

Paper presenter, “Influencing Latino Public Opinion: English vs. Spanish Language Media’ Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, 1l, April 14, 2012

Roundtable Participant, “EGAP Roundtable on Research Registration, “ Experiments in Governance and Politics Network Annual Meeting, Palo Alto, CA, November 2, 2012

Paper presenter, “Like Crabs in a Bucket: Identity and Latino Perceptions of Intra-Group Competition." At the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. Seattle, WA. September, 2011.

Paper presenter,” Latino Involvement and Expectations for Education: Does the Evidence Support the Conventional Wisdom?” at the annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 6, 2011.

Paper presenter, "The Multiple and Non-Exclusive Identities of Latinos," at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, April 1, 2010,

Paper presenter, “Contextual Determinants of Latinos’ Perceived Competition with African Americans” at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C., September 2, 2010.

Paper presenter, “Group Attitudes toward Immigration: Symbolic Racism and Realistic Group Conflict” at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C., September 3, 2010.

Roundtable discussant, ‘Race and the 2008 Election,” MPSA Annual Meeting, April 3, 2009.

Moderator and discussant, “Tribute to Mujeres del Movimiento,” 21st Century Chicano Activist Conference, August 22, 2009

Roundtable discussant, “Complex Models for Latino Politics: Quantitative and Qualitative Innovations,” APSA Annual Meeting, September 4, 2009

Roundtable discussant, “Black Feminist Intersectionality in Action: A Roundtable on Black Women, Cultural Images and Social Policy,” APSA Annual Meeting, September 5, 2009

Keynote panelist, “Latino Lives in America: Making it Home,” National Conference on Latino Politics, Power and Policy: Findings from the LNS Survey. Brown University, October 24, 2009

Paper presenter, ““Latino Involvement, Aspirations and Expectations for Education: Does the Evidence Support Conventional Wisdom?” at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, September 1, 2007.

Presenter, “Latinos and the National Polity: Methodology and Preliminary Findings of the 2006 Latino National Survey” at the Surveying in Multiethnic America Conference, Institute for Quantitative Social Science, Harvard University, Cambridge, MS, May 11, 2007.

Paper presenter, “Cultural Difference or Deficiency? Latino Identity and Its Influence on Aspirations for Education,” at the annual meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 12-15, 2007.

Roundtable Discussant, “New Latino Voices: Rollout of the Latino National Survey” at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA, September 2, 2006.

Roundtable Discussant, “Issues in Latina Leadership” at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Albuquerque, NM, March 16-19, 2006.

Paper presenter, “Strategic Intersectionality: The Role of Latina State Legislators,” with Luis Fraga, Ricardo Ramirez and Linda Lopez. Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C. September 1-4, 2005.

Paper Presenter, “Strategic Intersectionality: Gender, Ethnicity and Political Incorporation,” with Luis Fraga, Ricardo Ramirez and Linda Lopez. At the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Oakland, CA, March 17-19, 2005.

Paper Presenter, “A New Generation of Latino Voices: Identity, Attitudes and Participation” at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Portland, OR, March 12, 2004

Paper Presenter, “Elected or Appointed Boards: What Works Best for Latino Interests in Education?” at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Denver, CO, March 25, 2003.

Paper Presenter, “The Politics of Latino Education: Bias in At-Large Elections,” at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Long Beach, CA, March 22, 2002.

Paper Presenter, " Gender and Ethnicity: The Political Incorporation of Latina Legislators " at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, Aug 31, 2001.

Paper Presenter, “The Implications of School Choice for the Formation of Social Capital” at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Jose, CA, March 25, 2000.

Roundtable Discussant, “How to Survive and Thrive as a Minority Student on a White Majority Campus” at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, GA, September 4, 1999.

Chair, “The Shape of Latino Politics: Today and Tomorrow” at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, GA, September 3, 1999.

Paper Presenter, "Cultural, Ideological and Economic Determinants of Citizens’ Attitudes Towards Immigrants" at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Seattle, WA, March 25, 1999.

Chair, “Crime and Punishment: Race and Politics in America” at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA, September 3, 1998.

Discussant, “Comparative Contexts of Policy Analysis” at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, Corpus Christi, TX, March 19, 1998.

Round Table Discussant, “The Changing Role of Minorities in City Politics” at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, Corpus Christi, TX, March 19, 1998.

Paper Presenter, "Americans' Cultural Perspectives and Immigration Attitudes: A Structural Model" at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, August 29, 1996.

Poster Presenter, "The Rational Woman: Gender Differences in the Career Decisions of Elected Officials" at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, August 31, 1996.

Poster Presenter, "Equity Issues in Education Reform: The Consequences of Alternative Choice Programs" at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, August 31, 1996.

Paper Presenter, "Public and Private School Choice: Importance of Program Design," at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, September 2, 1995.

Paper Presenter, "The Consequences of School Choice: Who Leaves and Who Stays in the Inner City," at the annual meeting of the American Education Research Association, San Francisco, CA, April 20, 1995.

Paper Presenter, "Using Monetary Incentives with Hard-to-Reach Populations in Panel Surveys," at the annual meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, Il, April 6, 1995.

Speaker, "Public and Private School Choice in San Antonio: Who Chooses and With What Effects?," at the Understanding Choice and Charter Schools Conference, sponsored by the Texas Association of School Boards, Austin, TX, October 21, 1994.

Paper Discussant, "Educational Policy," at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, San Antonio, TX, March 20, 1994.

Paper Presenter, "The Consequences of Educational Choice Policy for Low-Income Minority Families: Modeling the Choice Decision with Implications for More Effective Implementation of Choice Programs," at the annual meeting of Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington D.C., October 29, 1993.

Speaker, "School Choice: Who Chooses and Why?" at Texas Association of School Boards/Texas Association of School Administrators Joint Annual Convention, Dallas, TX, September 25, 1993.

Paper Presenter, "The Consequences of Educational Choice Policy for Low-Income Minority Families: A Study of the Differences Between Choosing and Non-Choosing Families in San Antonio, Texas," at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, New Orleans, LA, March 19, 1993.

Paper Presenter, "The Persian Gulf War and American Foreign Policy Attitudes: Public Support for a New World Order," at the annual meeting of American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, September 4, 1992.

Paper Discussant, "Public Policy and Age: A Look at Political Gerontology," at the annual meeting of American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, September 6, 1992.

Paper Presenter, "Old-Age Interest Groups and Grassroots Mobilization," at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., August 31, 1991.

Roundtable Discussant, "Citizen Groups and Varieties of Representation," at the annual meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 19, 1991.

Discussant, "Presidential Elections," at annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, Fort Worth, TX, March 29, 1990.

Speaker, "Ethnicity and Aging," at the TCGEC Professional Development Institute, Houston, TX, September 20, 1990.

Paper Presenter, "The Emerging Force of Senior Women in the Politics of Aging." Paper delivered at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, GA, September 1, 1989**.**

Editorships, Consultantships, and Applied Professional Activities:

A. EDITORSHIP

Co-Editor, *American Political Science Review.* 2012-2016

Guest Editor, “Profession Symposium: Internal Review Boards and Political Science Research,” *PS: Political Science and Politics*. 2016. Volume 49, 2.

Moderator,. RACE-POL, online list service of the American Political Science Association Related Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics. 1996-1999

Guest Editor. *The Southwestern Journal of Aging*, Spring 1992, Volume 8, 1.

Editorial Intern, *American Political Science Review.* 1986-1987, Editor Samuel C. Patterson

B. CONSULTING

2020-22 Advisor to the Office of the Police Monitor, Fort Worth, Texas. Designed the survey instruments for four online surveys of community residents and police officers for Kim Neal, Fort Worth Police Monitor.

2020 Advisor to York County PA Cooperative for Human Relations. Presented research findings on Human Relations Commissions and participated in meetings with the York County cooperative of community, business and non-profit leaders who are establishing a county-wide Human Relations Commission.

1996 Preliminary Analysis and Evaluation of Texas Choice Schools. Designed survey instrument for both telephone and mail surveys of families, teachers and administrators in conjunction with the collection and analysis of standardized test scores. Subcontracted as part of a study for Texas State Board of Education, submitted to the Board, January 8, 1996.

1993 Analysis and Evaluation of Impediments to Fair Housing in the Dallas Metropolitan Area, Focus group interviewing of stakeholder populations, subcontracted as part of a study for the Dallas City Council, submitted to Council, 12/12/1993.

1992-1995 Analysis and Evaluation of Consequences of Educational Choice Policy for Low Income Minority Families in San Antonio, TX, Comprehensive evaluation study involving personal interviews, telephone and mail surveys of families, teachers, and administrators. Preliminary findings reported in "Who Chooses and Why?" submitted to San Antonio Independent School District and Children's Educational Foundation, 6/1993.

1985 Ohio Department of Education Survey on the Quality of Education, state-wide telephone survey. Findings reported in "A Survey of Opinions Concerning the Quality of Ohio's Educational Program," submitted to the Ohio Department of Education, 11/4/1985.

1985 Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Parks and Recreation, State Park Users Survey, state-wide telephone survey. Findings reported in "A Survey of Ohio State Park Users," submitted to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, 2/5/86.

1984 Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Parks and Recreation, State Park Users Survey, state-wide telephone survey. Findings reported in "A Survey of State Park Users' Satisfaction and Suggestions," submitted to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, 1/5/85.

C. OTHER APPLIED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Speaker, *Platicas Poderosa* – Latinas are the Future” at the annual meeting of Hispanic Women’s Network of Texas, San Antonio TX, September 0, 2022.

Speaker, “Latina Leadership: From Homemakers to Legislators” at the national meeting of La Raza Unida, San Antonio TX, September 16, 2022.

Co-Organizer and Sponsor, Politics of Race, Immigration and Ethnicity Consortium (PRIEC), Fall 2021 Conference, UNT

Member and Institutional representative, Advisory Committee, Crossing *Latinidades* Humanities Research Initiative, a national HSI R-1 consortium, 2021-present

Speaker, “Do Hispanic Women Vote?” Dallas Public Library, Bachman Lake Branch, August 26, 2020.

Opening Session Speaker, “New Latino Voices: Key Findings from the 2006 Latino National Survey” at the annual meeting of the National Association for Latino/a Elected Officials, Orlando, FL, June 26, 2007.

Presenter, “Latinos and the National Polity: Key Findings from the 2006 Latino National Survey” to the Democratic Caucus, U.S. House of Representatives, US Capitol Building, Washington D.C., January 16, 2007.

Presenter, “Redefining America: Key Findings from the 2006 Latino National Survey” at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, December 7, 2006.

Reviewer, *American Political Science Review*, *Political Research Quartertly, Journal of Politics, Social Science Quarterly, American Journal of Political Science* and National Science Foundation.

Member, 2001-2005. Citizens’ Advisory and Bond Oversight Committee, Denton Independent School District

Resource witness, Texas Senate Education Committee Hearings, Austin, March 1 & 15 1995

Resource witness, Texas House Public Education Committee Hearing, Austin, March 27, 1995

Speaker, “The Pros and Cons of School Choice: Vouchers and Charter Schools,” at the annual meeting of the National Education Association, Miami, FL, September 7, 1995.

Speaker, “School Choice,” at the annual meeting of the National Council of State Legislators, Milwaukee, WI, July 15, 1995

Community Activities directly Related to Professional Skills

Organizer and Host for the Hispanic Women’s Network of Texas, Latinas in Progress Student Program, College Site Visit and Workshop on Civic Responsibility, annually since 1998

Presenter, “Diversity in Publishing,” Artes de la Rosa Cultural Center for the Arts, Fort Worth Texas, October 14, 2022

Member, KERA/KXXT Community Advisory Board, 2021-2023

Speaker, The Meaning and History of Dia de los Muertos, 1st Annual Celebration of Dia de Los Muertos, Denton parks and Recreation, November 16, 2021

Expert discussant for PBS documentary, “Willie Velasquez: Your Vote is Your Voice” Fort Worth Screening Event, sponsored by KERA Public Broadcasting for North Texas, The Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, September 29, 2016

Executive Board Member, The Women’s Center of Tarrant County, 723 Hemphill, Fort Worth Texas, 2015-2019

Moderator, “Fort Worth Latino Americans: 500 Years of History,” September 13, 27, 2016, Artes de la Rosa Marine Theater, Fort Worth, Texas.

Moderator, “Movies That Matter: *Underwater Dreams*.” September 10, 2015. Museum of Modern Art, Fort Worth Texas.

Member, Latino Policy Coalition, 2006-2007

The Latino Policy Coalition is a national non-partisan non-profit consortium of the country's leading Latino research organizations and scholars.  It includes *The Tomás Rivera Policy Institute, Latino Issues Forum, William C. Velasquez Institute, National Association of Latino Elected Officials, National Institute for Latino Policy, Leavey Center for the Study of Los Angeles, University of Washington Institute for the Study of Ethnicity, Race, and Sexuality, Program on the Policy of Immigration, Ethnicity and Race, and Diversity Focus/National Community for Latino Leadership* .  The LPC analyzes, through nationwide public opinion surveys, policy issues affecting the Latino community. Chaired by former San Francisco City and County Supervisor Jim Gonzalez, the LPC seeks to highlight Latino community views on key national issues; and thus stimulate public policy debate among local, state and national elected officials.  See LPC research, policy recommendations and press statements at [www.latinopolicycoalition.org](https://mailssl.is.tcu.edu/exchweb/bin/redir.asp?URL=http://www.latinopolicycoalition.org/)

Member, Education Policy Committee, League of United Latin American Citizens,

Denton Chapter, 2004, 2021

Citizens’ Advisory and Bond Oversight Committee, Denton Independent School

District, 2001-2005

Member, Strategic Task Force on Public Safety, North Texas Council of Governments,

1999

Membership in Professional Organizations

a. Memberships

American Political Science Association (APSA)

APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics

Latino Caucus in Political Science

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)

Texas Association of Chicanos in Higher Education (TACHE)

Western Political Science Association (WPSA)

Women’s Caucus in Political Science

B. Offices and committee Assignments

Chair, Status Committee on Racial and Ethnic Minorities, MPSA, 2023-2024

Chair, Nominations Committee, WPSA, 2022-2023

Member, *Political Research Quarterly* Editor Selection Committee, 2022

Member, Status Committee on Racial and Ethnic Minorities, MPSA, 2022-2023

Member, Awards Committee, Best Book in Latinx/Chicano Studies, TACHE, 2021-2023

Member, *American Political Science Review,* Editorial Advisory Board, 2020-

Member, APSA Naming Committee for Best Book on Politics and International Affairs (formerly named the Woodrow Wilson Book Award) 2021-2022

Chair, Status Committee on Racial and Ethnic Minorities, MPSA, 2021-2022

Member, 75th Anniversary Planning Committee, WPSA, 2021

Member, *Collaborative Multiracial Post-Election Survey,* Advisory Board, 2018-2020

Member, *Political Behavior,* Editorial Advisory Board, 2018-2020



Member, Lucius Barker Award Committee, MPSA, 2019-2020

Member, Best Article Published in *PRQ* Award Committee, WPSA, 2019

Chair, Latino Caucus in Political Science, 2017-2018

member, Strategic Planning Committee, WPSA, 2014-2015

Vice-Chair, Latino Caucus in Political Science, 2016-2017

Chair, Committee on the Status of Latinos and Latinas, SPSA, 2011-2013

Treasurer, Women’s Caucus in Political Science, 2008-2009

Vice President, APSA, 2007-2008

Chair, MPSA, Nominations Committee, 2008

Member, WPSA, Long-Range Planning Committee, 2007-2008

Member, MPSA Nominations Committee, 2006

President, WPSA, 2006-2007

Chair, APSA, Minority Programs Review Taskforce, 2005-2006

Vice President/Program Chair, WPSA, 2005-2006

Co-President, APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics, 2003-2005

Chair, Latino Caucus in Political Science, 1998-2003

Member, APSA, Executive Council, 2002-2003

Member, APSA, Nominations Committee, 2002-2004

Member, WPSA, Executive Council. 2001-2004

Member, SWPSA, Executive Council, 2002-2005

Member, *Political Research Quarterly* Editorial Advisory Board, 2000-2006

Chair, APSA, Committee on the Status of Latinos y Latinas in the Profession, 2000-2003

Chair, WPSA, Committee on the Status of Chicanos/as in the Profession, 2000-2001

Member, APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics, Executive Committee, 1996-2005

Member, Coordinating/Development Committee, APSA Fund for Latino Scholarship

Member, SWPSA, Jewel Prestige Book Award Committee, 2000-2001

Co-Chair, Best Paper Award Committee, APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics, 2000

Member, WPSA Best Paper on Chicano/a Politics Committee, 2000

Co-Chair for Annual Program, APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics, 1999

Member, APSA Ralph Bunche Book Award Committee, 1999

Moderator, Race-Pol Electronic Listserv, APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics, 1996-1999

Section Coordinator for Annual Program, WPSA Section on Public Policy, 1998

Section Coordinator for Annual Program, SWPSA Section on Race and Politics, 1998

Member, Best Dissertation Committee, APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics, 1998

Chair, Electronic Communications Committee, APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics, 1998

Member,Graduate Student Concerns Committee, APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics, 1996-1998

 cOURSES TAUGHT in the past six years

Introduction to American and Texas Institutions

Introduction to Political Behavior and Public Policy

Policy Analysis (Graduate)

Education Policy

Immigration Policy

Urban Politics

The Politics of Race and Ethnicity

Minority Political Behavior (Graduate)

Latino Politics

The Politics of Rock and Roll