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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2014– Assistant Professor Florida State University  
Department of Political Science  
Affiliated Faculty  
xs/fs Experimental Research Group
- 2012-2014 Postdoctoral Fellow, PI: Amber Boydston University of California, Davis  
Department of Political Science

## EDUCATION

- 2012 PhD, Political Science University of California, Davis
- 2006 BA, Political Science & Comparative Religion Western Michigan University  
Honors: Phi Beta Kappa, *summa cum laude*

## RESEARCH

Interests: Political behavior, Political communication, Social networks, Campaigns

### PEER-REVIEWED

- In Press Pietryka, Matthew T., Jack Reilly, Patrick Miller, Daniel Maliniak, Ronald B. Rapoport, and Robert Huckfeldt. "From Respondents to Networks: Bridging between Individuals, Discussants, and the Network in the Study of Political Discussion."  
**Political Behavior**, forthcoming
- 2017 Pietryka, Matthew T. and Donald A. DeBats. "It's Not Just What You Have, but Who You Know: Networks, Social Proximity to Elites, and Voting in State and Local Elections."  
**American Political Science Review**, 111(2): 360-378. DOI: 10.1017/S000305541600071X
- 2016 Pietryka, Matthew T. "Accuracy Motivations, Predispositions, and Social Information in Political Discussion Networks."  
**Political Psychology**, 37(3): 367–386. DOI: 10.1111/pops.12255

- 2014 Boydston, Amber E., Rebecca A. Glazier, Matthew T. Pietryka, and Philip Resnik. "Real-Time Reactions to a 2012 Presidential Debate: A Method for Understanding Which Messages Matter."  
**Public Opinion Quarterly**, 78(S1): 330-343. DOI: 10.1093/poq/nfu007
- 2014 Boydston, Amber E., Jessica T. Feezell, Rebecca A. Glazier, Timothy Jurka, and Matthew T. Pietryka. "Colleague Crowdsourcing: A Method for Incentivizing National Student Engagement and Large-N Data Collection."  
**PS: Political Science & Politics**, 47(04): 829-834. DOI: 10.1017/s1049096514001127
- 2014 Huckfeldt, Robert, Matthew T. Pietryka, and Jack Reilly. "Noise, Bias, and Expertise in Political Communication Networks."  
**Social Networks**, 36: 110-121. DOI: 10.1016/j.socnet.2013.02.003
- 2013 Pietryka, Matthew T. and Randall MacIntosh. "An Analysis of ANES Items and their Use in the Construction of Political Knowledge Scales."  
**Political Analysis**, 21(4): 407-429. DOI: 10.1093/pan/mpt009
- 2013 Boydston, Amber E., Rebecca A. Glazier, and Matthew T. Pietryka. "Playing to the Crowd: Agenda Control in Presidential Debates."  
**Political Communication**, 30(2): 254-277. DOI: 10.1080/10584609.2012.737423
- 2012 Pietryka, Matthew T. and Amber E. Boydston. "Going Maverick: How Candidates Can Use Agenda-Setting to Influence Citizen Motivations and Offset Unpopular Issue Positions."  
**Political Behavior**, 34(4): 737-763. DOI: 10.1007/s11109-011-9180-y
- 2012 Pietryka, Matthew T. "The Roles of District and National Opinion in 2010 Congressional Campaign Agendas."  
**American Politics Research**, 40(5): 805-843. DOI: 10.1177/1532673x12437555

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## BOOK CHAPTERS

- In Press Huckfeldt, Robert, Matthew T. Pietryka, and John Barry Ryan. "Prior Beliefs, Social Communication, and the Unintentionally Bayesian Voter." *The Routledge Handbook of Public Opinion and Voting Behaviour*, eds. Justin Fisher, Edward Fieldhouse, Mark N. Franklin, Rachel Gibson, Christopher Wlezien, and Marta Cantijoch.  
**Routledge**
- 2016 Resnik, Philip, Amber E. Boydston, Rebecca A. Glazier, and Matthew T. Pietryka. "Scalable Multidimensional Response Measurement using a Mobile Platform." Chapter 8 in *Political Communication in Real Time: Theoretical and Applied Research Approaches*, eds. D. Schill, R. Kirk, and A. E. Jasperson.  
**Routledge**, p. 143-167.

- 2014 Huckfeldt, Robert, Matthew T. Pietryka and Jack Reilly. "Opinion Leaders, Expertise, and the Complex Dynamics of Political Communication." Chapter 10 in T.K. Ahn, Robert Huckfeldt, and John B. Ryan, *Experts, Activists, and Democratic Politics: Are Electorates Self-Educating?* **Cambridge University Press**, p. 227-247. DOI: 10.1017/cbo9781107706156.010
- 2014 Huckfeldt, Robert, Matthew T. Pietryka and Jack Reilly. "Noise, Bias, and Expertise: The Dynamics of Becoming Informed." Chapter 9 in T.K. Ahn, Robert Huckfeldt, and John B. Ryan, *Experts, Activists, and Democratic Politics: Are Electorates Self-Educating?* **Cambridge University Press**, p. 194-226. DOI: 10.1017/cbo9781107706156.009
- 2013 Huckfeldt, Robert, Jeffery J. Mondak, Matthew Hayes, Matthew T. Pietryka, and Jack Reilly. "Networks, Interdependence, and Social Influence in Politics." In *The Oxford Handbook of Political Psychology*, eds. L. Huddy, D. O. Sears, and J. Levy. **Oxford University Press**, p. 662-698. DOI: 10.1093/oxfordhb/9780199760107.013.0021
- 2013 Stone, Walter J. and Matthew T. Pietryka. "Party, Constituency, and Representation in Congress." In *The State of the Parties: The Changing Role of Contemporary American Parties*, eds. J. C. Green and D. J. Coffey. **Rowman & Littlefield**, p. 333-347.

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#### WORKING PAPERS

Pietryka, Matthew T. & Dennis Langley. "The Effects of Discussion on Turnout: What Can We Learn from Observational Survey Data?"

Presented at the 2017 MPSA

Pietryka, Matthew T. "Deliberation and Motivated Reasoning in Informal Discussion Networks."

Presented at the 2016 Annual Political Networks Conference

Weissert, Carol, Amanda Driscoll, Kevin Fahey, Patrick Merle, Teresa Stanquist, and Matthew T. Pietryka. "Public Opinion, Media Agenda Setting and Individual Legislative Responsiveness in Florida."

Presented at the 2015 Annual Conference of the Comparative Agendas Project

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#### GRANTS AND AWARDS

2017	FSU Council on Research & Creativity 2016-2017 Planning Grant	\$13,000
2017	Provost's Faculty Travel Grant	\$1,000
2016	Fellowship stipend supporting the Political Networks workshop and conference at Washington University in St. Louis	\$900
2016	FSU Council on Research & Creativity 2015-2016 Small Grant Award	\$3,000
2016	SPSA Artinian Travel Award	\$500
2015	Florida State University First Year Assistant Professor Grant	\$20,000

2014	Fellowship stipend supporting the Political Networks workshop and conference at McGill University	\$1,000
2014	UC Davis Postdoctoral Scholars Association Travel Grant	\$400
2013	UC Davis Academic Federation Research Travel Grant	\$800
2013	UC Davis Postdoctoral Scholars Association Travel Grant	\$400
2013	Fellowship stipend supporting the Political Networks workshop and conference at the University of Indiana	\$720
2011	Fellowship stipend from NSF grant SES-0851084 supporting the Political Networks workshop and conference at the University of Michigan	\$720
2010	UC Davis Political Science Department Travel Grant	\$500
2010	UC Davis Institute of Governmental Affairs Dissertation Research Award	\$1,000
2009	UC Davis Political Science Department Travel Grant	\$500
2009	UC Davis Department of Political Science Summer Collaborative Research Fellowship, with Amber E. Boydston	\$4,000
2009	Fellowship stipend supporting the State of the Parties: 2008 & Beyond conference at the University of Akron	\$500
2008	UC Davis Political Science Department Travel Grant	\$500
2007	UC Davis Political Science Department Award supporting the ICPSR	\$1,000
2006	Floyd and Mary Schwall Fellowship, UC Davis	\$93,000

## TEACHING

### FLORIDA STATE

<b>Social Network Analysis</b>	graduate
<b>Political Psychology</b>	graduate
<b>Political Research Methods</b>	undergraduate, upper division
<b>Media and Politics</b>	undergraduate, upper division

### UC DAVIS

<b>American Government</b>	undergraduate, lower division
<b>Political Research Methods</b>	undergraduate, lower division
<b>Elections and Voting</b>	undergraduate, upper division
<b>Media and Politics</b>	undergraduate, upper division

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## GRADUATE ADVISING

- 2016- Dissertation Committee Member: Dennis Langley
- 2016-2017 First Year Paper Advisor: Kelsey Houser
- 2015-2016 Practicum Advisor: Robert Williamson
- 2015-2016 First Year Paper Advisor: Jessica Parsons
- 2015- Dissertation Committee Member: Jorge Mendoza
- 2015- Dissertation Committee Member: Minjung Kim
- 2015 Dissertation Committee Member: Will Flanders, PhD

## SERVICE

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## REVIEWER

American Journal of Political Science, American Politics Research, British Journal of Political Science, Journal of Politics, National Science Foundation, Political Analysis, Political Behavior, Political Psychology, Political Science Research Methods, Political Science Quarterly, Political Studies, Public Choice, Public Opinion Quarterly, Social Science Research, Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences

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## OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2017 Chair: Fellowship Committee Annual Political Networks Workshops & Conference
- 2017 Discussant: The Effects of Deliberation MPSA
- 2016 Member: Fellowship Committee Annual Political Networks Workshops & Conference
- 2016 Panel Chair & Discussant: 27-17 What Shapes the Desire to Participate? MPSA
- 2015 Discussant: New Approaches to the Study of Social Influence and Communication Networks APSA
- 2015 Member: Fellowship Committee Annual Political Networks Workshops & Conference
- 2014 Panel Chair: 80-4 Individual Foundations of Social Network Effects MPSA

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## DEPARTMENT/UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2016-2017 Member: Department of Political Science Executive Committee
- 2015-2016 Member: Department of Political Science Executive Committee
- 2015-2016 Member: Undergraduate Studies Committee
- 2015-2016 Member: American Politics Search Committee
- 2014-2015 Member: Undergraduate Studies Committee
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## REFERENCES

Available on request