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### Education

<b>Yale University,</b>	New Haven,	Connecticut	
<b>Ph.D.</b>		in Political Science	May 23, 2016
<b>M. Phil. and M.A.</b>		in Political Science	December 2012
<b>Harvard University,</b>	Cambridge,	Massachusetts	
<b>A.B. <i>Magna Cum Laude</i></b>		in Social Studies	June 2003
<b>Groton School,</b>	Groton,	Massachusetts	
Prize Day speaker			June 1999
graduated <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>			

### Academic Appointments & Relevant Employment

Assistant Professor of Political Science, Tarleton State University, Department of Government, Legal Studies, & Philosophy; Stephenville, TX; August 2023 – Present

Town Hall Coordinator & Instructor of Government, Tarleton State University, Department of Government, Legal Studies, & Philosophy; Stephenville, TX; August 2022 – 2023

Research Associate, Villanova University, Augustinian Institute; Villanova, PA; January 2023 – Present

Assistant Professor, Colorado Christian University; School of Humanities and Social Sciences; Lakewood, CO; July 1, 2021 – July 31, 2022

Visiting Scholar, American Public Philosophy Institute, University of Dallas; Fall 2020 – May 2021

Visiting Assistant Professor, Tarleton State University; Department of Government, Legal Studies, & Philosophy; Stephenville, TX; January 14, 2019 – May 2021

Lecturer, North Carolina State University, The School of International and Public Affairs, College of Humanities and Social Sciences; Raleigh, NC; Sept 3 – Dec 31, 2018

James Madison Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Politics, Princeton University; July 17, 2017 – August 31, 2018

Lecturer, North Carolina State University, The School of International and Public Affairs, College of Humanities and Social Sciences; Raleigh, NC; January 2 – June 30, 2017

Graduate Student / Teaching Fellow, Department of Political Science, Yale University;  
September 1, 2005–June 30, 2016 (including 4 years of medical leave)

Deputy Press Secretary, Governor’s Office, Jackson, MS 2004–05

## **Publications**

### **Books**

Kabala, B. Z., T. Harmon, and A. Menchaca-Bagnulo (editors), 2024, *Augustine: Frontiers of Pluralism*, edited volume, Routledge, Oxfordshire, UK; 22 contributors including Mary Keys, Charles Mathewes, Emily Dumler-Winckler, Vincent Lloyd, Matt Elia, and Sean Hannan; Deadline to submit manuscript: 31 August 2024. Publication: Jan - Mar 2025.

Kabala, B. Z., N. Pinkoski, and A. Menchaca-Bagnulo (editors), 2021, *Augustine in a Time of Crisis: Politics and Religion Contested*, edited volume, Palgrave Macmillan, London, UK, pp. 470; ISBN: 978-3-030-61484-3; e-version published 1 March 2021, print version published 26 March 2021.

### **Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles & Book Chapters – Published or Accepted**

Morrow, E. V., B. Z. Kabala, and C. Dalton-Hartness (Ph.D. exp. 2024), 2023. “Between Public Justification and Civil Religion: Pursuing Shared Values in a Divided Time,” *Religions* 14(2), 133; 17 January 2023. <https://doi.org/10.3390/rel14020133>; (This article belongs to the Special Issue: [The Historical Interaction between Nationalism and Christian Theology](#))

Kabala, B. Z., and T. Cook (Ph.D. exp. 2023), 2022. “Hobbes and Spinoza on Sovereign Education,” *Philosophies* 7(1), 6; 8 January 2022; 27 pages. <https://doi.org/10.3390/philosophies7010006>; (This article belongs to the Special Issue: [Contemporary Significance of Thomas Hobbes' Political Philosophy](#))

Kabala, B. Z., and M. Hallgarth 2021. “R2P and Empire: On Dan Kovalik’s *No More War: How the West Violates International Law by Using ‘Humanitarian’ Intervention to Advance Economic and Strategic Interests*, and How Principled Realism Will Reduce Domination Around the World,” *Israel Law Review*, 54(3): 369-389. Nov 2021; Available at DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0021223721000212>

Kabala, B. Z., and R. Johnson (Tarleton State University B.A. 2021) 2021. “An American Notwithstanding Clause? Between *Potestas* and *Potentia*,” *Laws*, 10(3), Art. # 72; Sep 2021; 24 pages. <https://doi.org/10.3390/laws10030072>

Kabala, B. Z., A. Menchaca-Bagnulo, and N. Pinkoski, 2021. “Editors' Introduction” in B. Z. Kabala, A. Menchaca-Bagnulo, and N. Pinkoski (editors), *Augustine in a Time of Crisis: Politics and Religion Contested*, Palgrave Macmillan, London, UK, pp. 1-14

Kabala, B. Z., and C. Morefield (Tarleton State University B.A. 2022) 2021. “Speech and Silence: Republican Toleration in Augustine” in B. Z. Kabala, N. Pinkoski, and A.

Menchaca-Bagnulo (editors), *Augustine in a Time of Crisis: Politics and Religion Contested*, Palgrave Macmillan<sup>2</sup>, London, UK, pp. 283-302

Kabala, B. Z., 2020a. "Rousseau and the Qualified Support for Matriarchal Rule," *Humanities*, 9(3), Art. # 99; 19 pages. <https://doi.org/10.3390/h9030099> (This article belongs to the Special Issue: [The Enlightenment in Literature and Other Art Forms](#))

Kabala, B. Z., 2020b. "Judicial Review vs. Supremacy: the Connection to 17<sup>th</sup> Century Debate and a Dilemma for Today," *ICL Journal - Vienna Journal on International Constitutional Law*, 14(1): 71-102; Online: 8 Jun 2020, <https://doi.org/10.1515/Journal-2019-0052>

Kabala, B. Z., 2019. "The Return of the Intolerant Hobbes," *History of European Ideas*, 45(6): 785-802, <https://doi.org/10.1080/01916599.2019.1628581>

Kabala, B. Z., 2019. "Augustine and Contemporary Republicanism: on Speech as Domination," *Political Research Quarterly*, 73(1): 15-26, First Published online: 28 Aug 2019, <https://doi.org/10.1177/1065912919871617>

## **Peer-Reviewed Special Issues – Accepted**

### *Laws – Civic Engagement, Justice, and the Law in a National and International Context*

Editors: Boleslaw Z. Kabala and Casey Thompson

[https://www.mdpi.com/journal/laws/special\\_issues/936VL35675](https://www.mdpi.com/journal/laws/special_issues/936VL35675)

This Special Issue explores the legal issues that arise with university civic engagement programs, specifically, in a highly polarized time when the states of Florida and Texas are starting to attempt to restrict the freedom of institutions of higher education to fund and support different frameworks of community-university integration. Authors grapple with questions of the overall purpose of civic engagement, overlapping considerations of power, justice, and the law, issues related to student activism, and questions related to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion.

### **Published contributors:**

#### ***Faculty***

Adam MacLeod	University of St. Mary's Law School
Kody Cooper	University of Tennessee Chattanooga

### **Under review:**

Paul Carrese	Arizona State University
Owen Anderson	Arizona State University
Glenn Moots	Northwood University
James Patterson	Ave Maria University
Boleslaw Z. Kabala	Tarleton State University/Villanova

Amy O'Dell	Tarleton State University
Cathy Copeland	American Democracy Project
Eric Morrow	Tarleton State University
Casey Thompson	Tarleton State University

### ***Grad and Undergrad Students***

Kelli Neel	Liberty University University
Jessica Garcia	Tarleton State University
Abigail Smith	Tarleton State University
Thomas Cook	Liberty University
Peder Ahearn	Liberty University
Ben Meeks	Tarleton State University

### ***Religions – Religions and Violence: Dialogue and Dialectic***

Editors: Eric Morrow and Boleslaw Z. Kabala

[https://www.mdpi.com/journal/religions/special\\_issues/6LN25YJ41F](https://www.mdpi.com/journal/religions/special_issues/6LN25YJ41F)

This Special Issue navigates disturbing trends of religion and violence, particularly in the wake of January 6, and involving ongoing radicalization, the resurgence of Christian nationalism as evidenced by books that include Stephen Wolfe's *The Case for Christian Nationalism*, and growing polarization based on the erosion of separation of church and state. At the same time, this collection indicates a parallel framing given that Alexis de Tocqueville, Robert Putnam, and others have shown how systems of organized belief can serve positive community functions and reinvigorate civic purpose. When it comes to stable identities and traditions, peace, and community consensus, we examine the internal resources of religions themselves, asking what hermeneutics can contribute to shared values and overlapping consensus.

### **Confirmed contributors:**

#### ***Faculty***

Matthew Hallgarth	Tarleton State University
Chase Padusniak	Princeton University
Malcolm Cross	Tarleton State University
Stuart Parsons	Trinity College
AJ Nolte	Regent University
Zbigniew Kabala	Duke University
Owen Anderson	Arizona State University

#### ***Students***

Mason Bane  
Matthew Wolf  
Kelli Neel

Tarleton State University  
Tarleton State University  
Liberty University

### **Book Reviews – Published or Commissioned**

Kabala, B. Z., 2022. “America on Trial: A Defense of the Founding,” by Robert R. Reilly. Ignatius Press, 2021. 408 pp. Paper Back \$18.95, ISBN 978-1621645016, *Colorado Christian University Review*, commissioned, Dec 2021.

Kabala, B. Z., 2021. “Review of *Potentia*: Hobbes and Spinoza on Power and Popular Politics,” by Sandra Leonie Field. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2020. 277 pp. Hard Cover \$43.56, ISBN 978-0-1-97528242, *Perspectives on Politics*, 19(2): 613-614: June 2021; <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1537592721000256>

Kabala, B. Z., 2021. “Review of *The Socratic Method Today: Student-Centered and Transformative Teaching in Political Science*, edited by Lee Trepanier. Routledge, 2018, \$152.52, ISBN 978-0-8153-7188-5,” *Journal of Political Science Education*, 17(1): 165-169, First Online 5 Sep, <https://doi.org/10.1080/15512169.2019.1658593>

Kabala, B. Z., 2020. “Review of Abortion Politics by Ziad Munson. Polity Press, 2018, \$64.95, ISBN 978 0 745 68878 7,” *Political Studies Review*, 18(2): NP3-NP5, First Published online 16 May 2019, <https://doi.org/10.1177/1478929918824007>

Kabala, B. Z., 2019. “Review of *Beyond Abortion: Roe v. Wade and the Battle for Privacy*, by Mary Ziegler. Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 2018. 383pp, Hard Cover \$45, ISBN- 10: 978067497 6702,” *Law and Politics Book Review*, (Sponsored by the *Law and Courts* Section of APSA), 29(7): 75-78, <http://www.lpbr.net/search/label/Vol.%2029%20No.%207>

### **Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles & Book Proposals – In Review**

Copeland, C., A. O’Dell, A. Smith, J. Garcia, and B.Z. Kabala, 2024. “In Pursuit of Civic Engagement: Leveraging Trust in a Changed Legal Landscape,” in review – *Laws journal* – Special Issue on Civic Engagement, Justice, and the Law in a National and International Context

Morrow, E., C. Thompson, P. Jones, and B.Z. Kabala, 2024. “Incentivizing Civic Engagement at Public and Private Universities: Tax Exemptions, Laws, and Critical Dialogues,” in review – *Laws journal* – Special Issue on Civic Engagement, Justice, and the Law in a National and International Context

Kabala, B. Z., and J. C. Ross, 2024. “The Politics of Fear in Judith Shklar and Leo Strauss’s Machiavelli - American Connections,” in review

Kabala, B. Z., and K. J. Fischer, 2023. “Towards an Augustinian Critique of Ideology: Pluriformity Resources in the Thought of the Bishop of Hippo,” in review

Kabala, B. Z., 2023. *Hobbes, Spinoza, and the Problem of Theological Politics*, Book Proposal, Cambridge University Press, in review

### **Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles – In Draft**

Heartness, C. D.; B. Z. Kabala, R. T. Nalbandov, and Z. J. Kabala, 2024. “Revoked Presidential Orders and Their Rate in Crisis v. Noncrisis: Statistical Analysis,” in draft

Kabala, B. Z., 2024. “Rebutting Randall: Lincoln vs. Douglas and the Revisionists,” in draft

Dalton, C.H., and B.Z. Kabala, 2024. “A Question of Boundaries: Revisiting Liberal Republicanism with Stephen Macedo, John Rawls, and Adam Smith,” in draft

Kabala, B. Z., 2024. “The Religion of *Bildung* and Education in Schiller's Letters on the Aesthetic Education of Man and Goethe's Wilhelm Meister's Apprenticeship,” in draft

### **Dissertations, Theses & Reports**

Kabala, B. Z., 2016. “Hobbes, The New Secular Clerisy, and Spinoza’s Concern,” pp. 395, Yale University, Department of Political Science, New Haven, CT, May, 2016; at: <https://search.proquest.com/docview/1816208489?pq-origsite=gscholar>

Kabala, B. Z., 2003. “What’s Love Got To Do With It? The Politics of Love and Joy in Hobbes and Spinoza,” The Committee on Degrees in Social Studies, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, 2003

### **Short Political Commentaries – Community Outreach**

A number of articles on the millennial news website <https://www.mic.com>, Mic (Media Company). Mic annually reaches over 30 million readers. Some of my posts led to interesting online idea exchanges, which I consider part of civic engagement. My articles are, available at <https://www.mic.com/profile/boleslaw-kabala-15992842>

### **Awards and Fellowships**

Tarleton State University, COLFA Outstanding Junior Faculty Award, 2023-2024

Yale University Dissertation Fellowship, 2014–2015

Yale University Graduate Fellowship, 2005–2006, 2011–2014

United States Presidential Scholar, Washington, DC, 1999

accepted the Presidential Scholar medal from President Bill Clinton

World Public Speaking Competition in Gaborone, Botswana, March 10–17, 1999

placed fourth in debating competition; sixth overall speaker

## Teaching Experience

### Tarleton State University

#### Assistant Professor of Political Science

- GOVT 2306 Texas Government (Texas Constitution and Topics) and Honors Texas Government, Fall 2024 (three sections), POLS 3311 Political Philosophy (one section); GOVT 2306 Texas Government and Honors Texas Government Spring 2024 (three sections)

#### Town Hall Coordinator and Instructor of Government

- GOVT 2306 Texas Government (Texas Constitution and Topics), Fall 2022 (five sections), Spring 2023 (five sections)

### Colorado Christian University

#### Assistant Professor

- GLS 322 The World Since 1945, Spring 2022 (one section)
- POL 462 Congress and the Presidency, Spring 2022 (one section)
- POL 207 Introduction to American Politics, Spring 2022 (two sections)
- POL 207 Introduction to American Politics, Fall 2021 (three sections)
- POL 381, American Political Rhetoric, Fall 2021 (one section)

### Tarleton State University

#### Visiting Assistant Professor

- POLS 3303 Comparative State and Local Government, Fall 2019 (one section)
- GOVT 2305 Federal Government, Spring 2019 (one section)
- GOVT 2306 Texas Government (Texas Constitution and Topics), Spring 2019 (four sections); Fall 2019 (four sections)
- Average number of students each semester: 174
- *Rate My Professor* Most Helpful Rating, Feb 19th, 2020:

*“Overall, a great and outstanding professor here at Tarleton State. Just about all material on the test is covered in the lectures and is also found in the textbook. Gives out a lot of extra credit, and genuinely cares about the student's experience. Has allowed a review sheet to be used on the test in the past and is overall a very easygoing guy.”*

## **Liberty University, Helms School of Government**

### Online Assistant Professor

- PLCY 802 “Competing Visions of Statesmanship,” Summer and Fall 2019; Spring and Summer 2020; 12 - 27 students
- PLCY 700 “Foundations of Statesmanship and Public Policy,” Summer and Fall 2019; 12 students
- GOVT 323 “Critical and Historical Development of Public Ethics,” Summer 2020; 1 student
- PhD Committee Chair for Samuel Japhets, Jan 2024 – Aug 2024 (Candidate successfully graduated)
- PhD Committee Chair for Thomas Cook, May 2020 – Present (expected graduation: Fall 2024)
- PhD Committee Chair for Christine Dalton Hartness, May 2021 – Present (expected graduation: Fall 2024)
- PhD Committee Chair for Peder Ahearn, April 2022 – Present (expected graduation: Fall 2024)
- PhD Committee Chair for Lydia Donkor, Feb 2023 – Present (expected graduation: Spring 2025)
- PhD Committee Chair for Kelli Irene Neel, May 2021 – Present (expected graduation: Spring 2024)
- PLCY 802 and GOVT 323 Subject Matter Expert, Spring 2020 – Present

## **Abilene Christian University**

### Online Lecturer

- POLS 491 “Recent Political Theory,” Spring 2021 (1 section), 12 students

## **North Carolina State University**

### Lecturer

- PS 201 “Introduction to American Government,” Spring 2017 (two sections), Fall 2018 (one section); 30+ students
- PS 462 “Political Theory and the Theologico-Political Problem”, Fall 2018, 9 students

## **North Carolina Wesleyan College**

### Online Lecturer

- POL 200 “Introduction to Political Science,” Fall 2018 (one section), 2 students



## **Yale University**

Teaching Fellow, “Intro to Political Philosophy” (Bryan Garsten), Spring 2013

- Taught Writing Intensive Section

Teaching Fellow, “Moral Foundations of Politics” (Ian Shapiro), Fall 2012

- Taught Writing Intensive Section

Teaching Fellow, “Moral Foundations of Politics” (Ian Shapiro), Spring 2012

- Taught Writing Intensive Section

Teaching Fellow, “Introduction to Political Philosophy” (Steven Smith), Fall 2011

- Taught two sections

## **Duke University**

Guest Lecturer, Danilo Petranovich's “Introduction to Political Philosophy,”

Lecture Title: Lincoln the Philosopher, April 8, 2010

## **Ph.D. Program Experience (Degree Redesign/Construction)**

### **Liberty University**

In 2021, the Helms School of Government at Liberty University conducted an overhaul and streamlining of its Ph.D. in Public Policy. The core offerings students complete before proceeding to the dissertation writing stage are as follows: Foundations of Public Policy (PLCY 700), Natural Law, The State, and the Gospel (PLCY 701), Founding Era and the Constitution (PLCY 702), Contemporary Challenges to Constitutional Order and the Role of the State (PLCY 703), Competing Visions of Statesmanship (PLCY 802), Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations (PLCY 804). I have worked with students in half of these courses (700, 701, and 802).

Based on my teaching experience and subsequent [chairing of six dissertations](#), I was asked to participate in discussions with Associate Dean and Associate Professor of Government Jason Ross, along with other full-time faculty, as we addressed the following questions and implemented changes in PLCY 700, 701, 702, 703, 802, and 804:

#### Core Courses Learning Objectives Update

- What are ways to modify learning objectives in the core courses, as Liberty seeks to become more competitive at the Ph.D. level? What kinds of learning objectives will enhance student learning in an increasingly rigorous academic environment?

#### Core Courses Content Revisions

- How should the assigned readings in these required classes balance the need to cover fundamentals, with imperatives for learners to respond to rapidly evolving

bodies of scholarship relevant to their areas of research?

#### Chair/Committee/Candidate Interaction Guidelines

- What kinds of check-ins are beneficial to students who in some cases are juggling the dissertation with professional and family commitments? Is weekly interaction feasible, and even if not, how can HSOG maintain a “spirit of weekly interaction?”

## **Events/Workshops and Conferences**

Co-Organizer, Conference Within a Conference on “Medieval Political Thought,” including papers by Karen Taliaferro (“*Shar’a* and *sharī’a*: A study of divine law in a trilogy of Ibn Rushd’s works”); Rasoul Namazi (“On the Falāsifa’s knowledge of Platonic Writings: A Reevaluation”); and Joshua Parens (“Untying the Final Knot in Maimonides’ Teaching on Particular Providence – Guide 3.51”); SPSA Virtual Annual Meeting, June 14 – 15, 2023

Co-Presenter (by invitation), “Dan Patrick, Separation of Church and State, and the Johnson Amendment: Where Do We Go From Here?” with Tarleton undergraduate Jeffrey Hartz, Weatherford College Conference “Philosophy of Religion and Politics,” April 21-22

Co-Presenter (by invitation), “Drug Policy and Police Reform: Fact-Based Policy in an Age of Political Idolatry,” with Tarleton undergraduate Jackson Munsey, Weatherford College Conference “Philosophy of Religion and Politics,” April 21-22

Co-Organizer, “Justice and Criminal Justice Roundtables,” which included 24+ speakers (theory and practice oriented) exploring subjects from Criminal Justice Reform, to Broken Windows Policing, to Measurement of Bias in Officer-Involved Incidents (Keynote speakers: Associate Dean Alex del Carmen and Federal Appeals Court Judge Gustavo Gelpi), Stephenville, April 11-12

Coordinator, “Tarleton Town Hall,” which included 20+ consultants in policy areas ranging from Animal & Crop Regulation (Congressman Charles Stenholm, Jean Lonie, and Darren Turley) to Rural Economic Growth (Mayor Doug Svien), to Police Reform (Stephenville Police Chief Dan Harris), Stephenville, Spring ‘23

Coordinator, “Tarleton Town Hall,” which included 20+ consultants in policy areas ranging from Rural Economic Development (Rep. DeWayne Burns) to Fiscal Policy (Arturo Ballesteros), to Transgender Policy (Alison Boleware), Stephenville, Fall ‘22

Organizer, “Sid Miller,” featuring the Secretary of Agriculture speaking with Tarleton students about, “Why Major in Political Science?” (250+ students, overflow room), Stephenville, Fall ‘22

Conference Co-Organizer, “Augustine: *Frontiers of Pluralism*: 21<sup>st</sup> Century Questions,” including 8 panels on *Augustine and Critical Theory*, *Augustine and Feminism*, and *Augustine and Pluralism in Public Life*; paper presentations by Vincent Lloyd, Toni Alimi, Boleslaw Z. Kabala, and Emily Dumler-Winckler; Villanova, June 14-17, 2022

Presenter (by invitation), “Against Lyotard: On Spiritual Play and the Decentered Self in Augustine’s Confessions,” Villanova Conference “Augustine: *Frontiers of Pluralism*: 21<sup>st</sup> Century Questions,” Villanova, June 14-17, 2022

Panel Chair and Discussant, The Individual and Political Reform in the Early Modern Politics; paper presentations by Evelyn Flashner, Tyler Thomas, Rob Wyllie, and Amy Chandran with Gladden Pappin as discussant; APSA Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, September 30 – October 3, 2021

Discussant (by invitation), Augustine’s Political Thought II, including papers by Peter Busch (“The Great Inconsistency: Augustine, Slavery, and the Character of a Republic”); Ashleen Menchaca-Bagnulo (“Just Force? Legitimate and Illegitimate Coercion Against Citizens in the *City of God*”); and Amanda Arulanandam (“‘City of Man, Cities of Pride:’ St. Augustine on the Political Effects of *Superbia*”); Conference Within a Conference on *Medieval Political Thought*, SPSA Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, January 7 – 9, 2021

Presenter (by invitation), “Towards an Augustinian Liberalism and (at the same time) Republicanism: Resources to Strengthen Democracy in the Thought of the Bishop of Hippo,” Conference Within a Conference on *Medieval Political Thought*, SPSA Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, January 7 – 9, 2021

Presenter, “Augustine and Contemporary Republicanism: on Speech as Domination,” Political Science Writing Seminar, Tarleton State University, Department of Government, Legal Studies, and Philosophy; October 31, 2019.

Attendee, APSA Annual Meeting, August 30 - September 1, 2019, Washington, DC

Presenter, “The Return of the Intolerant Hobbes,” Political Science Writing Seminar, Tarleton State University, Department of Government, Legal Studies, and Philosophy; February 27, 2019.

Presenter, “Judicial Review vs. Supremacy: the Connection to a 17<sup>th</sup> Century Debate,” Seminar in Political Science, Princeton University, May 29, 2018

Co-Convener, Conference on Augustine and Political Theory, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, April 16, 2018

Discussant, “Searching for Meaning in the Terrene City: Augustine and Politics” – The Quest for Legitimacy: Actors, Audiences, and Aspirations, APSA Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, August 31 – September 3, 2017

Presenter, “The Return of the Intolerant Hobbes,” Political Science Writing Seminar, Duke University, Department of Political Science, Durham, NC, September 26, 2016

Panelist, Hobbes Panel: Political Thought and Philosophy—Historical Approaches, APSA Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, September 1 – 4, 2016

Participant, Writing and Publishing Seminar, Duke University, Department of Political Science, Durham, NC, Fall, 2016

Participant, Program in Effective Public Service and Leadership, The Institute for the Public Trust, Raleigh, NC, Fall, 2016

Presenter, Yale Political Theory Workshop, “Hobbes, The New Secular Clerisy, And Spinoza’s Concern,” Yale University, New Haven, CT, April 27, 2016

Participant (by invitation), Duke University, “Michael Walzer Seminar on *Spheres of Justice* and *On Toleration*,” Durham, NC, April 14, 2016

Attendee (by invitation), Philadelphia Society Spring Meeting Panels, including: “Reconsidering the Culture of Free Markets” and “Can We Restore Fiscal Prudence and National Solvency?” Charlotte, NC, April 2, 2016

Participant, Intercollegiate Studies Institute Portland Leadership Conference, “How Markets Work,” Tigard, OR, July 14 – 16, 2015

Discussant, Yale University, Religion and Politics Colloquium, “Tocqueville in Arabia,” Professor Joshua Mitchell, November 28, 2011

Participant, Intercollegiate Studies Institute Seminar, “What So Proudly We Hail,” Harvard University, November 5, 2011

Discussant, Yale University, Religion and Politics Colloquium, Professor Theda Skocpol, “The Tea Party and the Remaking of Republican Conservatism,” Oct 17, 2011

Presenter, Duke University, American Thought Workshop run by Visiting Professor Danilo Petranovich, “Woodrow Wilson and Progressivism,” November 12, 2009

## **Languagess**

English (native), Polish (fluent),

French (semi-fluent),

Latin (two years of training), Greek (one year of training)

## **Professional Associations**

American Political Science Association (APSA)

National Capital-Area Political Science Association (NCAPSA)

Southern Political Science Association (SPSA)

Political Studies Association (PSA) (United Kingdom)

## References

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