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**Current Research Interests:**

State social welfare program administration and policy development; variability in public policy priorities across the American states; intergovernmental response to natural disasters; the impact of governmental activity on public attitudes; the distribution, structure, and content of public attitudes toward the policy responsibilities of the national, state, and local governments; innovative strategies for analyzing public-sector activity.

**Teaching Interests:**

Public Policy, American Government and Politics, Methodology and Research Design, Policy Analysis and Evaluation, Comparative Public Policy, Public Management, Intergovernmental Relations, State Politics and Policy, Bureaucratic Politics, Health and Welfare Policy, Public Administration, Crisis Management, Homeland Security.

**Education:**

Ph.D.	1980	State University of New York at Binghamton (Political Science) Concentration — Public Policy Analysis & Evaluation Dissertation Topic — The Evolution of the Modern Welfare State
M.A.	1978	University of Akron (Political Science) Major Field — Comparative Politics Minor Field — Political Theory
B.A.	1973	Southwest Missouri State University (cum laude) Major — Political Science Minor — History

**Publications:**

**Book**

*Flirting With Disaster: Public Management in Crisis Situations*. 1995. Armonk, New York: M.E. Sharpe (under revision for a second edition).

**Refereed Journal Articles**

“A New Measure of Policy Spending Priorities in The American States” (with William G. Jacoby). 2009. *Political Analysis* 17-1-24.

“Who’s to Blame? (Mis) perceptions of the Intergovernmental Response to Disasters.” 2008. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 38: 715-738.

“Reconsidering the Linkage Between Public Assistance and Public Opinion in the American Welfare State” (with William G. Jacoby). 2007. *British Journal of Political Science* 37: 555-566.

“Administrative Breakdowns in the Governmental Response to Hurricane Katrina.” 2005. *Public Administration Review* 65 (September): 515-517.

“Elite Discourse and American Public Opinion: The Case of Welfare Spending” (with William G. Jacoby). 2005. *Political Research Quarterly*, 58: 3 (September): 367-379.

“The Relationship Between State Government Performance and State Quality of Life” (with Jerrell D. Cogburn). 2003. *International Journal of Public Administration* 26 (Issue 12): 1337-1354.

“Public Attitudes Toward the Policy Responsibilities of the National and State Governments” (with William G. Jacoby). 2003. *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 3 (Number 3, Fall) 246-269.

“A Culture of Dependence? The Relationship Between Public Assistance and Public Opinion” (with William G. Jacoby). 2003. *British Journal of Political Science* 33 (July): 213-231.

“The Quality of Management and Government Performance: An Empirical Analysis of the American States” (with Jerrell D. Cogburn). 2003. *Public Administration Review* 63 (March/April): 206-213.

“Variability in State Policy Priorities: An Empirical Analysis” (with William G. Jacoby). 2001. *Journal of Politics* 63: 544-568.

“The Impact of Welfare Reform on Medicaid.” 1998. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 28 (Summer, Number 3): 161-174; also revised and reprinted, 1999, In *Welfare Reform: A Race to the Bottom?* Edited by Sanford F. Schram and Samuel H. Beer. Baltimore, MD: John Hopkins Press (for the Woodrow Wilson Center Press).

“Reinventing a Federal Agency: The Federal Emergency Management Agency.” 1998. *Public Administration Quarterly* 22 (Number 1): 35-58.

**Publications:**

**Refereed Journal Articles (continued)**

“Medicaid Section 1115 Waivers: Shifting Health Care Reform to the States.” 1997. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 27 (Number 2): 89-109.

“The Structure of Bureaucratic Decisions in the American States” (with William G. Jacoby and Jerrell D. Cogburn). 1997. *Public Administration Review* 57 (May/June): 240-249. Winner of the Mosher Award for the Best Article by an Academic in *Public Administration Review*.

“Influences on Bureaucratic Policy Initiatives in the American States” (with William G. Jacoby). 1996. *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory* 6 (October): 495-522.

“The Influence of Federal Regional Offices on State Medicaid Maternal and Child Health Care Policy.” 1995. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 25 (Number 1): 1995: 3-21.

“Examining the Relationship Between Public Policies: AFDC and Medicaid.” 1993. *Public Administration Review* 53 (July/August): 368-380.

“Governmental Response to Disasters: The Conflict Between Bureaucratic Procedures and Emergent Norms.” 1992. *Public Administration Review* 52 (March/April): 135-143.

“FEMA, Federalism, Hugo, and ‘Frisco.’” 1990. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 3 (Summer): 97-115.

“Governors and Health Care Policy.” 1989. *Policy Studies Journal* 17 (Number 4, Summer): 809-826.

“Intergovernmental Influences on Medicaid: A Rejoinder.” 1989. *Public Administration Review* 42 (July/August): 404-6.

“Intergovernmental Influences on Medicaid Program Expenditures.” 1988. *Public Administration Review* 48 (July/August): 756-763.

“Influences on State Professional Licensure Policy.” 1987. *Public Administration Review* 47 (November/December): 479-484.

“The Policy Role of State Professional Licensing Agencies: Perceptions of Board Members.” 1986. *Public Administration Quarterly* 9 (Number 4, Winter): 414-33.

“The Impact of Political Participation on Social Policy Adoption and Expansion: A Cross-National, Longitudinal Analysis” (with Patricia Ingraham). 1984. *Comparative Politics* 17 (October): 107-22.

**Publications:**

**Book Chapters**

“The Disastrous Response to Hurricane Katrina: Blame It on the Bureaucracy?” 2008. In *FEMA Emergency Project*, ed. Jessica Hubbard, Fairfax, VA: Public Entity Risk Institute.

“Citizen Influences on State Policy Priorities: The Interplay of Public Opinion and Interest Groups” (William G. Jacoby). 2006. In *Public Opinion in State Politics*. ed. Jeff Cohen. Stanford University Press, pp. 183-208.

“Improving the Quality of Maternal and Child Health Care in the United States: State Level Initiatives and Leadership.” 1992. In *The States and Health Policy: Innovations From Below*, ed. Howard Leichter. New York: M.E. Sharpe, pp. 49-72.

“Governors and Health Care Policymaking: The Case of Medicaid.” 1991. In *Gubernatorial Leadership and State Policy*, ed. Eric B. Herzik and Brent W. Brown. Greenwood Press: 149-171.

“Social Welfare Policy in Great Britain” (with B. Guy Peters). 1989. In *International Public Policy*, ed. Jack DeSario. Greenwood Press: 293-314.

“Health and Welfare Policy in Missouri.” 1985. In *Missouri Government and Policy*, ed. Richard Hardy and Richard Dohm. University of Missouri Press, pp. 149-154.

**Book Reviews/Non-Refereed Articles/Communications**

“Health Policy” (with Niccole Pamphilis). 2010. In *Encyclopedia of Political Science*, edited by George Thomas Kurian. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

“Intergovernmental Relations” (with Michael Thom). 2010. In *Encyclopedia of Political Science*, edited by George Thomas Kurian. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

“Policy Analysis” (with Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo). 2010. In *Encyclopedia of Political Science*, edited by George Thomas Kurian. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

“Policy Innovation” (with Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo). 2010. In *Encyclopedia of Political Science*, edited by George Thomas Kurian. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

“Social Policy” (with Nicccole Pamphilis). 2010. In *Encyclopedia of Political Science*, edited by George Thomas Kurian. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

“Emergency Management” (with Daniel C. Lewis). 2008. In *Political Encyclopedia of the U.S. States and Regions*, ed. Donald P. Haider-Markel, Michael Card, Keith Gaddie, Gary Moncrief, and Kenneth Palmer. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

“Homeland Security” (with Daniel C. Lewis). 2008. In *Political Encyclopedia of the U.S. States and Regions*, ed. Donald P. Haider-Markel, Michael Card, Keith Gaddie, Gary Moncrief, and Kenneth Palmer. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

**Publications:**

**Book Reviews/Non-Refereed Articles/Communications (continued)**

“Bureaucracy” (with Daniel C. Lewis). 2008. In *Political Encyclopedia of the U.S. States and Regions*, ed. Donald P. Haider-Markel, Michael Card, Keith Gaddie, Gary Moncrief, and Kenneth Palmer. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

“Are Multiple Conference Presentations Really a Problem?”(with William G. Jacoby). 2008. *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 41 (Issue 2, April): 307-308.

“No ‘Shelter From the Storm’.” 2007. *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis* (September) (book review of *Shelter From The Storm*): 9 (Issue 3).

“Competing Views of Intergovernmental Relations in the United States.” 2001. *Journal of Politics* 63 (November): 1305-1310 (book review).

“Uncovering the Real American Welfare State.” 1999. *American Political Science Review* 93 (Number 2): 455-456 (book review).

“Dual Career Couples.” 1998. In *The International Encyclopedia of Public Policy and Administration*, Edited by Jay M. Shafritz, Boulder, CO: Westview: 720-723.

“Sexual Harassment” (with Jerrell D. Cogburn). 1998. In *The International Encyclopedia of Public Policy and Administration*, ed. Jay M. Shafritz, Boulder, CO: Westview: 2053-2057.

“Politics, Government, and American Health Care Policy.” 1997. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 27 (Number 3): 137-139 (book review).

“The States as Laboratories of Health Care Reform.” 1996. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 26: 146-149 (book review).

“Transforming the Crisis-Prone Organization.” 1993. *Journal of Contingencies and Crisis Management* 1 (Number 1): 63-65 (book review).

“The Nature of Policy Analysis.” 1992. *Public Administration Review* 52 (January/February): 84-85 (book review).

“Recent Lessons on Disaster Relief.” 1990. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* (Fall): 170-172 (book review).

“The Status of Evaluation Research.” 1990. *Public Administration Review* 50 (May/June): 393-395 (book review).

“South Carolina, FEMA, and the Response to Hurricane Hugo.” 1990. *State Policy Forum* (Number 2): 16-23.

“A Comparative Analysis of the Development of Social Welfare Programs in the Welfare State.” 1982. In *Comparative Social Research* 5: 195-219.

**Professional Service:**

- Chair, Herbert A. Simon Award Committee, Public Administration Research Caucus, Midwest Political Science Association, 2009/2010.
- Member, 2009/2010. Advisory Committee, Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research.
- Special Issue Editor, "Federalism and Health Care Policy, *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*, 2008.
- Member, Advisory Council, *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*, 2008-2010.
- Member, Editorial Board, *The Journal of Politics*, 2007-2009.
- Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Public Affairs Education*, 1998-2008.
- Member, Editorial Board, *Administration and Society*, 1995-2007.
- Executive Council, Midwest Political Science Association, 2005-2007.
- Member, Nominating Committee, Midwest Political Science Association, 2006-2007.
- Member, Mentoring Committee, Public Policy Section, American Political Science Association, 2004-2005.
- Executive Council, Public Policy Section, American Political Science Association, 2002-2005.
- Section Head, Public Administration Section, Western Political Science Association, 2003.
- Chair, *Public Administration Review* Best Lead Article Awards Committee, 2003.
- Chair, Committee on the Status of Women, Midwest Political Science Association, 2001-2002.
- President, State Politics and Policy Section, American Political Science Association, 1999-2001.
- Member, Editorial Board, *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, 1999-2001.
- Book Review Editor, *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 1997-2001.
- Chair, Dissertation Award Committee, National Association of Public Affairs and Administration, 2001.
- Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Politics*, 2001-2004.
- Executive Council, Southern Political Science Association, 1998-2001.
- Section Head, State Politics and Policy, 2001 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association.
- Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 1997-1999.
- Section Head for Public Policy, 1999 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.
- Secretary-Treasurer and Newsletter Editor, State Politics and Policy Section, American Political Science Association, 1996-1999.
- Executive Council, National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration, 1996-1999.
- Member, Editorial Board, *American Journal of Political Science*, 1994-1997.
- Chair, Stone Award Committee, Section on Intergovernmental Administration & Management, American Society for Public Administration Award/Selection Committee, 1992.
- Member, Editorial Board, *Public Administration Review*, 1988-1991.
- Member, Book Award Committee, Policy Studies Organization, 1988-1989.

**Academic Employment Record:**

- 2007 - 2010 Director of the Master of Public Policy Program, Departments of Political Science and Economics, Michigan State University.
- 2003 - 2010 Professor, Department of Political Science, Michigan State University.
- 1988 - 2010 Instructor, ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, University of Michigan.
- 2004 - 2007 Associate Chair and Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science Michigan State University.
- 2005 - 2006 Visiting Fellow, Asia Pacific School of Economics and Government, Australian National University, Canberra, Australia.
- 2000 - 2003 Professor, Department of Government and International Studies, University of South Carolina.
- 1992 - 2003 Director, Master's of Public Administration Program, University of South Carolina.
- 2001 - 2002 Visiting Fellow, Graduate Program in Public Policy and Management, Australian National University, Canberra, Australia.
- 1998 - 2000 Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Government and International Studies, University of South Carolina.
- 1993 - 2000 Associate Professor, Department of Government and International Studies, University of South Carolina.
- 1996 - 2000 Instructor, Australian Consortium for Social and Political Research, Incorporated, Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, Australian National University, Canberra, ACT, Australia.
- 1989 - 1993 Assistant Professor, Department of Government and International Studies, University of South Carolina.
- 1986 - 1988 Visiting Instructor, Department of Political Science, The Ohio State University.
- 1980 - 1985 Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Missouri at Columbia.
- 1979 - 1980 Visiting Instructor, Department of Political Science, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.
- 1977 - 1979 Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science, State University of New York at Binghamton.
- 1974 - 1976 Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science, University of Akron.

**Government Employment Record:**

- 1988 - 1989 Health Planning Administrator, Office of Health Policy and Analysis, Ohio Department of Health.  
Initiated, directed, and monitored the evaluation of public health care programs affecting the citizens of the state of Ohio. Prepared detailed technical and statistical reports on key health care issues and legislation. Coordinated the development of health care financing and delivery proposals among government agencies, providers, purchasers, and consumers.
- 1985 - 1988 Program Evaluation Administrator, Bureau of Medicaid Policy, Ohio Department of Human Services.  
Conducted comprehensive evaluations of health and welfare policy initiatives. Prepared technical reports on analytical findings. Served as agency liaison between program administrators, legislative officials and interest group representatives. Coordinated the development of budget proposals for the Ohio Department of Human Services. Supervised the preparation of grant proposals for research, demonstration, and evaluation projects for internal funding sources. Developed proposals to obtain waivers from the national government on state program provisions; collected data for program monitoring; and submitted period reports to the national government on program developments.

**Extramural Funding Experience:**

**Administrative Grant Activity**

- Project — Nurse Aide Training. Agency Project Coordinator and Supervisor, Ohio Department of Health. Grant awarded to the Ernest and Whinney Company, Chicago, Illinois, to develop and implement a nurse aide training program in Ohio's long-term care facilities, 1988-1989. Award amount: \$500,000.
- Project — Teen Pregnancy Prevention. Agency Project Coordinator, Ohio Department of Human Services. Grants awarded to fifteen community-based public and private associations to develop and implement innovative approaches for the prevention of unwanted teenage pregnancies, 1987-1988. Total Grant Awards: \$1,000,000.
- Project — Public Attitudes Toward Public Assistance Programs. Project Coordinator, Ohio Department of Human Services. Grant awarded to the Federation of Community Planning, Cleveland, Ohio, 1985-1988. Grant Awards: \$750,000.

**Extramural Funding Experience:**

**Research Grants/Contracts**

- Project— Policy Responsibilities of National, State, and Local Governments. Principal Investigator. Grant awarded by the Institute of Public Policy and Social Research, Michigan State University to collect survey data (via the Cooperative Congressional Election Study conducted by Polimetrix) on the attitudes of citizens toward the roles of the national, state, and local governments in public policymaking across a range of program areas, 2006. Grant Award: \$15,000.
- Project— Patterns of Social Program Development in an Era of State-Centered Policymaking. Principal Investigator. Grant awarded by the Institute for Public Policy and Social Research, Michigan State University, 2006. Grant Award: \$12,500.
- Project— Emergency Management Operations at the University of South Carolina. Grant awarded by the University of South Carolina to analyze the university's current emergency management plan and to recommend changes that will strengthen the university's ability to respond to emergency situations, 2003-2004. Grant Award: \$5,000.
- Project— Public Attitudes Toward the Policy Responsibilities of the National and State Governments. Principal Investigator. Grant awarded by the University of South Carolina Research and Productive Scholarship Fund to collect and analyze survey data on the attitudes of citizens toward the roles of the federal and state governments in important policy areas, 1999 - 2001. Grant Award: \$7,500.
- Project— Crisis Management In South Carolina. Principal Investigator. Contract with the South Carolina Budget and Control Board; Sea Grant Consortium; Office of the Governor, State of South Carolina to develop the state's emergency preparedness and response capabilities, 1991-1992. Grant Award: \$9,500.
- Project— Governmental Response to Disaster: The Local Perspective. Principal Investigator. Grant awarded by the University of South Carolina Research and Productive Scholarship Fund to collect data on the activities of local governments in the disaster response process, 1990-1991. Grant Award: \$2,000.
- Project— A Comparative Analysis of State Licensure Systems. Principal Investigator. Grant awarded by the Missouri Division of Professional Registration to collect data on professional licensing and regulation functions in states across the country, 1983-1984. Grant Award: \$5,000.
- Project— A Survey of Professional Licensing/Regulation in the State of Missouri. Principal Investigator. Grant awarded by the Missouri Division of Professional Registration to collect and analyze data on the attitudes and actions of the state's professional licensure officials, 1982-1983. Grant award: \$4,000

## Extramural Funding Experience:

### Education/Training Grants

- Project— Awards for over 50 individual education and training grants from a wide variety of public and private organizations, including the South Carolina Budget and Control Board, the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, the South Carolina Energy Office, the South Carolina Department of Archives, the South Carolina Association of Counties, the City of Columbia, the South Carolina Palmetto Project, the South Carolina United Way, and South Carolina Blue Cross and Blue Shield. Grants funded Master of Public Administration students at the University of South Carolina-Columbia to work on specific public management and policy analysis projects, 1992-2003. Total amount of grants: Approximately \$400,000.
- Project— Indigent Care in Ohio. Agency Project Coordinator and Supervisor, Ohio Department of Health. Grants awarded to ten public and private partnerships across the state of Ohio to initiate programs that would serve underinsured or uninsured population groups, 1988-1989. Total Grant Awards: \$200,000.

## Conference Participation:

Paper presented (with Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo) at the 2010 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “Social Program Developments in an Era of State-Centered Policymaking: Welfare Cutbacks, Medicaid Expansions.”

Paper presented (with Daniel C. Lewis) at the 2010 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “Direct Democracy and State Policy Priorities.”

Paper presented at the 2009 American Political Science Association Meetings, “Explaining Developments in State Medicaid Coverage for Low-Income Families.”

Paper presentation (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2008 American Political Science Association Meetings, “Citizens’ Perceptions of Intergovernmental Policy Responsibilities.”

Chair and Discussant, 2008 American Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “Intergovernmental Dynamics in Health Care.”

Paper presentation at the Twelfth Annual Conference of the International Research Society for Public Management, “Public Mismanagement and Bureaucratic Meltdowns: Why the Governmental Response to Katrina Failed,” March 26-28, 2008, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia.

Poster presentation (with Daniel C. Lewis) at the 2007 American Political Science Association Meetings, “Popular Budgets: Spending Priorities in Direct Democracy States.”

Paper presented at the 2007 State Politics and Policy Conference. “Welfare Reductions and Medicaid Expansions: Is There a Connection?”

Chair and Discussant, 2007 State Politics and Policy Meetings, Panel on “Child and Family Policy.”

**Conference Participation (continued):**

Paper presented at the 2007 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “The Disastrous Response to Hurricane Katrina: Blame it on the Bureaucracy?”

Chair and Discussant, 2007 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “Federalism and Bureaucratic Authority.

Paper presented at the 2007 Southern Political Science Association Meetings, “Patterns of Social Program Development in an Era of State-Centered Policymaking: Welfare Reductions and Medicaid Expansions.”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2006 American Political Science Association Meetings, “The Linkage Between State Policy Priorities and State Program Efforts.”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2006 State Politics and Policy Meetings, “Citizen Influences on State Policy Priorities: The Interplay of Public Opinion and Interest Groups.”

Paper presented at the 2006 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “Bureaucratic Breakdowns in the Governmental Response to Hurricane Katrina.”

Roundtable Participant, 2006 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “Intergovernmental Coordination and FEMA– Post-Katrina: The Good, The Bad, and the Ugly.”

Paper presented at the 2006 Southern Political Science Association Meetings, “The Impact of Welfare Reform on Medicaid Expansions for Low-Income Women and Children.”

Paper presented at the 2005 American Political Science Association Meetings, “Citizens’ Influences on State Policy Priorities.”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2005 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “The Interplay of Public Opinion and Interest Groups in Shaping State Policy Priorities, 1990-2000.”

Paper presented at the 2005 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “Patterns of Social Program Development: Welfare Reductions and Medicaid Expansions.”

Chair, 2005 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “Social Policy and Its Reform” and Panel on “Policy Formation.”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2004 American Political Science Association Meetings, “Modeling State Policy Commitments: Measuring the Spending Tradeoffs of State Governments Over Time.”

Paper presented at the 2004 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “The Impact of Welfare Reform in an Era of State-Centered Policymaking.”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2004 State Politics and Policy Conference. “A New Summary Measure of Yearly State Policy Spending.”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2004 Southern Political Science Association Meetings, “A Measure of Policy Spending Within the American States.”

**Conference Participation (continued):**

Chair, Discussant, "Federal-State Interaction and Policy-Making" Panel, 2004 Southern Political Science Association.

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2003 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, "The Linkage Between Public Opinion and Public Assistance in the American Welfare State."

Paper presented (with Erica Carter and Angela Douglas) at the 2003 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, "Welfare Reform: A View from the States."

Paper presented (with Jerrell D. Cogburn) at the 2003 Western Political Science Association Meetings, "The Relationship Between State Government Performance and State Quality of Life."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the Third State Politics and Policy Conference, March 2003, "The Impact of State Policy Priorities on State Program Efforts."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2002 American Political Science Association Meetings and the 2002 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, "Elite Framing and the Structure of Mass Opinion: Citizens Attitudes Toward Welfare and Government Spending."

Paper presented (with Erica Carter) at the 2002 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, "The Impact of Welfare Reform on the Racial Composition on the State and Local Administrative Influences on American Welfare Policy."

Paper presented (with Angela Douglas) at the 2001 Southern Political Science Association Meetings, "Administrative Influences on State Children's Health Insurance Initiatives."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2001 American Political Science Association Meetings, "Measuring Public Policy in the States: The Importance of the Underlying Model."

Paper presented (with Jerrell D. Cogburn) at the 2001 American Political Science Association Meetings, "The Quality of Management and the Performance of Government: An Empirical Analysis of the American States."

Presenter, Session on "Measuring State Policy Priorities," State Politics and Policy Section Workshop on American State Data Resources, 2001 American Political Science Association Meetings.

Paper presented at the 2001 Midwest Political Science Association "The Impact of Public Assistance on Public Opinion."

Discussant, 2001 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "Policy Implementation."

Paper presented at the 2001 Western Political Science Association Meetings, "The Linkage Between State Policy Priorities and State Program Efforts."

Discussant, 2001 Western Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "State Administrative Procedures, Bureaucratic Regulations and Government Performance."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the First State Politics and Policy Conference, May 2001, "The Structure of State Policy Priorities, 1982-1992."

Chair and Discussant, 2001 State Politics and Policy Conference, Panel on "Federalism and State Policy."

**Conference Participation (continued):**

Chair and Roundtable Participant, 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Teaching Public Administration, Panel on “Experiences in Teaching Abroad, 2001.”

Roundtable Participant, French/American Public Administration Education and Training Conference, Panel on “The Role of Training and Evaluation, 2001.”

Chair and Discussant, 2000 Southern Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “Policy Learning and Change.

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2000 American Political Science Association Meetings, “Public Attitudes Toward the Policy Responsibilities of the National and State Governments”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2000 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “Stability and Change in State Policy Priorities”

Chair and Discussant, 2000 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “Non-Educational Impacts of Education Policy”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 2000 Western Political Science Association Meetings, “Variability in State Policy Priorities: An Empirical Analysis”

Paper presented at the Fifth National Public Management Research Conference, Texas A & M University, “A Comparative Analysis of Public Management During Crisis Situations.”

Paper prepared (with William G. Jacoby) for the Conference on Democratic Performance Research, Binghamton University, “The Dimensionality of State Policy.”

Chair and Discussant, 1999 Southern Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “Welfare Policy in the American States.”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1999 American Political Science Association Meetings, “Variability in State Policy Priorities, 1982-1992.”

Discussant, 1999 American Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “The States, Medicaid Reform, and Administrative Capacity.”

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1999 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “Variability in State Policy Priorities.”

Paper presented at the 1999 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, “Comparing Governmental Responses to Natural Disasters: The Importance of Federal Leadership.”

Discussant, 1999 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “New Partnerships or Old Patterns: Are States the Keys to Opening Communities to National Service?”

Paper presented at the 1998 American Political Science Association Meetings, “Problems and Prospects of Administrative Management and Governance: The Case of Disaster Relief.”

Discussant, 1998 American Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on “New Schools, New Communities, New Questions: Analyzing the Charter Schools Movement in the States.”

**Conference Participation (continued):**

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1998 Meeting of the New York Area Political Psychology Seminar, "Is There a Culture of Dependence? The Relationship Between Public Assistance and Public Opinion"

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1998 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, "Is There a Culture of Dependence?"

Chair, 1998 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "Fiscal and Monetary Policymaking."

Paper presented at the 1998 Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars' Conference on Welfare Reform, "The Impact of Welfare Reform on Medicaid."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1997 American Political Science Association Meetings, "A Culture of Dependence?"

Paper presented at the 1997 Southwestern Social Science Association Meetings, "Reinventing Public Administration: A Case Study of FEMA."

Chair and Discussant, 1997 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "Health Care Policy-Making."

Paper presented at the 1996 American Political Science Association Meetings (with William G. Jacoby and Jerrell D. Coggburn), "Modeling the Variability in Policy Priorities Across the American States."

Chair/Discussant, 1996 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "Modeling Policy Choices."

Roundtable Participant at the 1996 National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration Conference, "The Capstone Experience and MPA Programs."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby and Jerrell D. Coggburn) at the 1995 Southern Political Science Association Meetings, "The Structure of Bureaucratic Decisions in the American States."

Chair, 1995 Southern Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "Bureaucracy and Health Care Policy Implementation."

Discussant, 1995 American Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "What Drives American Welfare Policy? A View From The States."

Discussant, 1995 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "Welfare Policies in the American States."

Discussant, 1995 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "Health Care Policy."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1994 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, "Modeling Administrative Choices in State Medicaid Programs: Substantive and Methodological Insights."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1994 American Political Science Association Meetings, "The Evolution of Bureaucratic Decisions in the American States."

**Conference Participation (continued):**

Discussant, 1994 American Political Science Association Meetings, Panel on "Direct 'Democracy' In the American States."

Paper presented at the 1993 American Political Science Association Meetings, "Explaining the Variation in State Medicaid Prenatal Care Services: The Role of Federal Administrative Offices."

Paper presented at the 1993 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, "Influences on Bureaucratic Decisions in the American States: An Empirical Test."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1992 American Political Science Association Meetings, "The Structure of Bureaucratic Decision-making in the American States."

Paper presented (with William G. Jacoby) at the 1992 American Political Science Association Meetings, "What Influences the Unelected? Bureaucratic Decision-Making in the American States."

Paper presented at the 1992 Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, "Examining the Relationship Between Public Policies."

Chair and Presenter, 1992 American Society for Public Administration Meetings, "Accessing Health Care in the United States."

Chair, 1991 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, "Regulating Financial Institutions in the American States."

Discussant, 1991 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, Panel on "Welfare Policy in the American States."

Paper presented at the 1990 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meetings, "Governmental Response to Disasters: The Conflict Between Bureaucratic Procedures and Emergent Norms."

Paper presented at the 1990 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meetings, "Similarities and Differences in State Social Choices: The Case of AFDC and Medicaid."

Paper presented at the 1990 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, "Social Policymaking in the American States."

Chair, 1990 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meetings, "State Policymaking."

Speaker, 1990 American Society for Public Administration Meetings, "State Initiatives in Indigent Care."

Paper presented at the 1989 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, "Public Policy Development and Interaction in a Federal System."

Discussant, 1989 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, Roundtable on "The Impact of Health Care on Poverty in the U.S."

Paper presented at the 1988 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, "National, State, and Local Influences on Medicaid Program Developments."

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Discussant, 1987 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, Panel on “Welfare Policy in the United States.”

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Paper presented at the 1987 American Public Health Association Annual Meetings, “Medicaid’s Coverage of Prenatal Care.”

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Panel Chair, 1986 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, “Evaluation and Innovation in State Health Agencies.”

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Paper presented at the 1985 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meetings, “Influences on State Professional Licensure Policy.”

Paper presented at the 1984 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, “Administrative Regulation of the Professions: Protection for the Public or the Professions?”

Paper presented at the 1982 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meetings, “Social Policy Adoptions and the Development of the Bureaucracy.”

Paper presented at the 1980 American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, (with Patricia Ingraham) “Alternative Models of Citizen Participation and Policy: Voting in the Streets or at the Polls?”

Paper presented at the 1980 Conference of Europeanists, “A Comparative Analysis of the Development of Social Welfare Programs in the Welfare State.”

Discussant, 1980 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meetings, Panel on “Comparative Social Policy Developments.”