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#### ACADEMIC POSITIONS

High Point University, High Point, North Carolina
Tenured Professor of Political Science, 2016–present
Director, International Relations Major Program, 2009–present
Chair, Department of Political Science, 2007–2017
Tenured Associate Professor of Political Science, 2010–2016
Assistant Professor of Political Science, 2004–2009
Lewis and Clark College, Portland, Oregon
Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science, 2002–2003
University of Portland, Oregon
Visiting Instructor of Political Science, 2000–2002
University of Texas at Austin
Research Associate, Irma Rangel Public Policy Clinic, 1995–1998
Department of Government Graduate Teaching Assistant, 1993–1997
Pacific University, Forest Grove, Oregon
Adjunct Instructor, English as a Second Language (two courses), 1991–1992
EDUCATION
<b>Ph.D. in Government, University of Texas at Austin</b> , 2002. <i>Field exams</i> : comparative politics, international relations, and American politics. <i>Dissertation</i> : "Democratizing Urban Brazil: Voters, Reformers, and the Pursuit of Political Accountability."

**BA, Pacific University**, 1992. *Magna cum laude*, with majors in political science, international relations, and Spanish literature. Semester abroad at Universidad Espíritu Santo, Guayaquil, Ecuador. *Thesis:* "Paradoxes of Separation: Slavery, Segregation, and Social Movements in the United States and Brazil."

### SELECT PUBLICATIONS

Listed in order of acceptance:

Sam Whitt, Alixandra B. Yanus, Mark Setzler, Brian McDonald, John Graeber, Gordon Ballingrud, and Martin J. Kifer. 2023. "Explaining Partisan Gaps in Satisfaction with Democracy after Contentious Elections: Evidence from a U.S. 2020 Election Panel Survey." PS: Political Science & Politics. https://doi.org/10.1017/S1049096523000458

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- Sam Whitt, Alixandra B. Yanus, Brian McDonald, John Graeber, Mark Setzler, Gordon Ballingrud, Martin J. Kifer. 2021. "Tribalism in America: Behavioral Experiments on Affective Polarization in the Trump Era." *Journal of Experimental Political Science* 8(3): 247 259. https://dx.doi.org/10.1017/XPS.2020.29
- Mark Setzler. 2021. **"Did Brazilians Vote for Jair Bolsonaro Because They Share His Most Controversial Views?"** *Brazilian Political Science Review* 15(1): 1-16. https://doi.org/10.1590/1981-3821202100010006
- Mark Setzler and Alixandra B. Yanus. 2021. **"Gender and Support for Democracy in the United States and Canada."** *Political Science Quarterly* 136(3): 521–546. https://doi.org/10.1002/polq.13236
- John Graeber, Nick McRee, and Mark Setzler. 2019. **"The Effects of Polarized Elite Messaging on Nationalism, Patriotism, and Views of Immigration."** *Sociation* 18(1): 1–19. http://sociation.ncsociologyassoc.org/wpcontent/uploads/2019/09/poloarizedelitemessages\_182\_1\_19-1.pdf
- Mark Setzler. 2019. **"Adversity, Gender Stereotyping, and Appraisals of Female Political** Leadership: Evidence from Latin America." *The Latin Americanist* 63(2): 189–219. https://muse.jhu.edu/article/726705
- Nick McRee and Mark Setzler. 2019. **"The Civic Orientation and Political Assimilation of Latino** Immigrant Youth." *Sociological Focus* 52(3): 246–266. https://doi.org/10.1080/00380237.2019.1624231
- Mark Setzler and Alixandra B. Yanus. 2018. **"Why Did Women Vote for Trump?"** *PS: Political Science & Politics* 51(3): 523–527. https://doi.org/10.1017/S1049096518000355.
- Mark Setzler. 2019. **"Measuring Bias against Female Political Leadership."** *Politics & Gender* 15(4): 695–721. https://doi.org/10.1017/S1743923X18000430.
- Mark Setzler and Alixandra B. Yanus. 2019. **"Do Religious Voters Discriminate Against Women Gubernatorial Candidates?"** *Politics, Groups, and Identities* 7(2): 347–366. http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/21565503.2017.1358644.
- Mark Setzler. 2015. Does Religion Bias Individuals against Female Political Leadership in Latin America? *The Latin Americanist* 59(4): 47–72. http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/tla.12058.
- Mark Setzler and Alixandra B. Yanus. 2015. **"The Impact of Religion on Voting For Female Congressional Candidates."** *Politics and Religion* 8(4) (December): 679–698. http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S1755048315000528.
- Mark Setzler. 2016. **"Religious Differences among Congressional Districts and the Success of Women Candidates."** *Politics & Gender* 12(3): 518–548. http://doi.org/10.1017/S1743923X15000616.
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- Mark Setzler. 2003. "**Recursos socioeconômicos, capital sociocultural e conhecimento político como determinantes da formulação de políticas públicas locais no Brasil.**" *Caderno CRH* 39(2): 133–160. https://portalseer.ufba.br/index.php/crh/article/view/18640/12014.

- Luis F.B. Plascencia, Gary P. Freeman, and Mark Setzler. 2003. **"The Decline of Barriers to** Immigrant Economic and Political Rights in the American States: 1977–2001." *International Migration Review* 37(1): 5–23. http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1747– 7379.2003.tb00128.x
- Louis DeSipio, Rodolfo O. de la Garza, and Mark Setzler. 1999. **"Awash in the Mainstream: Latinos** and the 1996 Elections." In *Awash in the Mainstream: Latino Politics and the 1996 Elections*, eds. Rodolfo O. de la Garza and Louis DeSipio. Boulder, CO: Westview Press: 3–45.
- Rodolfo O. de la Garza, Scott Graves, and Mark Setzler. 1999. **"Alive and Kicking: Municipal Affirmative Action Policy in Texas Cities."** *Policy Studies Journal* 27(1): 45–63. DOI: http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1541–0072.1999.tb01952.x. This study was named "article of the year" by PSJ's editors and received the Theodore Lowi Award from the Policy Studies Organization.
- Mark Setzler. 1997. **"From Cortiços to Favelas: Housing Policy in São Paulo in the Twentieth Century."** In *Policymaking in a Redemocratized Brazil: Decentralization and Social Policy*, ed. Robert H. Wilson. Austin: Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs: 319–356.

## AWARDS AND MAJOR GRANTS

- **Sophomore Class Faculty Excellence Award,** *Student Government Association, High Point University*. 2024. Presented by the Class of 2026. The elected student officers of each undergraduate class annually recognize the teaching and mentoring of one full-time faculty member.
- Senior Class Faculty Excellence Award, Student Government Association, High Point University. 2022. Presented by the class of 2022.
- Freshmen Class Faculty Excellence Award, Student Government Association, High Point University. 2020. Presented by the class of 2024.
- **Mentorship Matters Award**, *Office of Student Life, High Point University*. 2019, 2020. In 2019, the award's inaugural year, five of the faculty members in the College of Arts and Sciences were nominated by students to be recognized for their effective student mentoring.
- **Sabbatical**, *High Point University*. 2013 (leave taken in spring 2014). Sabbaticals at the university are competitively awarded. The award provided one semester's leave at full salary as well as funding for datasets and three weeks of field research in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
- SWOTT (Summer Workshop on Teaching Terrorism) Fellowship, *the University of Oklahoma*. 2008. Funding for fees, flight, lodging, and board expenses for the one-week program.
- The Artinian Award, *the Southern Political Science Association*, 2005. Grant covering conference registration, hotel, and flight.
- **Faculty Member of the Year**, *the Associated Students of the University of Portland*, 2002. The students' elected officers recognized one of the college's full-time faculty members.
- **The Theodore Lowi Award**, *Policy Studies Organization*, 2000. Coauthor of "the best article" published in the *Policy Studies Journal* in the previous year.
- **University Dissertation Fellowship**, *University of Texas—Office of Graduate Studies*, 1999. Two of the Government Department's 125 graduate students were selected. The award provided a waiver of one year's university tuition and fees as well as a grant covering one year's living expenses.
- International Dissertation Fieldwork Research Fellowship, *Social Sciences Research Council* and *American Council of Learned Societies*, 1998. Fifty-five recipients were selected from an applicant pool of more than 1000 applicants. The fellowship provided international conference travel funding and support for eight months of field research in Rio de Janeiro and Porto Alegre, Brazil.

- **David L. Boren Graduate Fellowship.** *National Security Education Program*, 1998. Twelve political scientists were selected from a national pool of applicants from a variety of disciplines. The fellowship covered eight months of field research in Salvador and Belo Horizonte, Brazil.
- **Texas Fund for Training Foreign Policy Professionals Grant**, *Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs*, 1999. The grant was used to cover dissertation research materials as well as travel expenses to, from, and within Brazil.
- **Pre-dissertation grant**, *Ford Foundation*, 1996. Grant covered travel expenses, room and board, and supplies for three months of field research in Curitiba and São Paulo, Brazil.
- Foreign Language and Areas Scholarship (FLAS for Portuguese), US Department of *Education*, 1994. Fellowship covered tuition, fees, and living expenses for a summer term.
- **Teaching Assistantship**, *University of Texas—Department of Government*, 1993–1997. Initial funding and annual renewal of assistantships were competitive; approximately one-third of the department's PhD students received funding packages covering tuition, fees, and living expenses.

Outstanding Graduating Senior in the Social Sciences, Pacific University, 1992.

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

American Politics Comparative Politics Contemporary Issues in Politics International Conflict and Security International Political Economy International Relations Latin American Politics Political Science Research Methods Power and Politics in Washington, DC Racial and Ethnic Politics in America Senior Thesis Seminar Tyrants, Dictators, & Democrats U.S. Foreign Policy

# UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- **Program Director, International Relations Major**. January 2010–present. Serve as the founding director for this interdisciplinary major program. Responsibilities include academic marketing, curriculum oversight, and program assessment. By its fifth anniversary, the program had one of the largest major counts in the College of Arts and Sciences (later split, with the major going into the School of Humanities and Behavioral Sciences). By its tenth year, the program had graduated the university's first-ever Truman scholarship finalist, three of its first four Fulbright awardees, and several Boren scholars and Gillman grant recipients. Program graduates have entered elite law schools, globally ranked international affairs graduate programs, the Peace Corps, the military, the State Department, and various roles on Capitol Hill.
- **Member, National Fellowships and Awards Committee**. August 2016–present. This university-level committee evaluates, ranks, and interviews applicants for various prestigious scholarship and fellowship programs, including the Truman, Boren, Goldwater, Marshall, Rhodes, and other competitive fellowships.
- **Member, Fulbright Committee**. 2016–present. This university-level committee interviews applicants for Fulbright teaching assistant and research fellowships.
- **Chair, Faculty Awards and Nominations Committee for the College of the Humanities and Behavioral Sciences**, 2022–present. The committee was appointed by the dean to recruit, assist, and nominate candidates for college- and university-level faculty awards recognizing teaching, service, and scholarship.
- Member, Latin American Studies Program Committee. 2016–present. This committee periodically advises the director of this multidisciplinary minor.

- **Member, Tenure and Promotion Committees.** Committee members are appointed by school deans and provide the initial review of faculty applicants for tenure, promotion in rank, and sabbaticals. I served a two-year term for the College of Arts and Sciences (2016–2018) and a one-year term for the School of Humanities and Behavioral Sciences (2021-2022). Served as an outside member for a promotion application in the School of Communication (2021).
- **Faculty Co-Facilitator for the College of the Humanities and Behavioral Sciences,** 2019–2020. Appointed by the dean to assist in administering college-level meetings; worked with colleagues to help our dean identify faculty accomplishments and address concerns.
- **Chair, Department of Political Science**. 2007–2017. Appointed as the founding chair of a new academic department in my fourth year as an assistant professor. Responsibilities included recruitment and mentoring of tenure-track and term-appointment faculty, annual performance reviews, adjudicating student and faculty concerns, program quality assessment, coordination of program marketing. and other initiatives to enhance program expansion. During my leadership period, the department grew from two to six full-time faculty members, became the institutional home for a second major, overhauled its curriculum, established student outcomes assessment processes, and increased the number of majors served from 38 to 130 students. The number of peer-reviewed publications by the department's faculty grew from a handful to several dozen. While chair, I became the first political scientist tenured at the university and the first to be internally promoted to full professor since at least the 1950s. The three tenure-eligible faculty I hired and mentored through their full pre-tenure period were tenured and promoted.
- **Truman Scholarship program campus representative.** 2014–2016. Before the University established an office for fellowships and awards with a full-time director, I served as the University's first Truman Scholarship program representative.
- **Chair and member of faculty search committees**. Chaired seven searches in Political Science (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015) and for the founding director of the HPU Survey Research Center (2009). Served on searches for Anthropology (2009), Strategic Communication (2011), Political Communication (2014), Political Science (2016, 2017, 2018, 2022, and 2023), History (2021), and Psychology (2023).
- **Member, Study Abroad Committee**. 2005–2008; 2015–2017. The committee reviews courses and programs that involve faculty members taking students abroad.
- **Member, Honors Scholar Program Committee**. 2006–2014. The committee's major project while I served was fully redesigning the program to match the changing needs of a stronger student body. I led honors students on multi-day trips to Charleston and Savannah.
- **Faculty Senator**, 2011–2014, elected at-large. Faculty Senate receives and articulates faculty concerns, studies faculty-related issues, and provides advice to the university's administration.
- Senate Elections Officer, 2011–2013. Elected by the Faculty Senate. Responsible for administering multiple university-wide faculty elections.
- **Member, Institutional Assessment Board**. 2006–2009. The committee worked with the university's director of assessment to review and make recommendations related to instructional and academic program performance.
- **Member, Institutional Review Board (IRB)**. 2005–2009. HPU's inaugural IRB was established in 2005. I was part of an eight-member faculty team that studied best practices at peer institutions and assisted the IRB director in drafting HPU's first set of human-research policies, IRB approval protocols, and a policy handbook.
- **Chair, Ad Hoc Committee to establish the High Point University Survey Research Center.** 2009. The committee worked with the Provost to develop a rudimentary, starting vision for the center and hired its first director, who was later tenured in the Department of Political Science.
- **Faculty Representative, New Core Curriculum Implementation Taskforce**. 2009–2010. Served as one of three faculty representatives to advise the Provost in implementing a new university

curriculum. Curricular changes included a university-wide shift from 3-credit to 4-credit courses to achieve a reduction in the then-standard faculty teaching load by two courses each year.

- **Chair, Teaching Evaluation and Assessment Taskforce**. 2006–2008. The task force used surveys and focus groups to analyze student, department chair, and faculty behavior related to student rating forms that evaluate instructors each term. The committee developed new policies and a uniform assessment form for the university.
- **Common read facilitator**. Volunteered to guide groups of incoming first-year students in discussions of influential books. 2015, 2016, and 2017. This version of the program ended after three years.

Student group advisor, High Point University College Democrats. 2008–2015, 2020–2022.

Student group advisor, Student Political Science Association. 2022-present.

Student group advisor, HPU Chapter of Amnesty International. 2005–2009.

Student group advisor, HPU Political Science Club. December 2005–2009.

Student group advisor and coach, HPU's Big South Conference Quiz Bowl team. 2006, 2007.

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- Note: Asterisks identify papers subsequently published or in-press at a selective, peer-review outlet; presentations for any papers presently under blind peer review are not listed)
- "Party Identification and the Expression of Bias toward Candidates of Different Religious Backgrounds" Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2023.
- \*"Why Did Brazilians Vote for the 'Tropical Trump'?" Southern Political Science Association, Austin, March 2020.
- \*"Race, American Identity, and Racial Animus toward African Americans." Southern Political Science Association, San Juan, January 2020. With John Graeber.
- \*"Gender, American Identity, and Sexism." Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2019. With John Graeber.
- \*"Why Are Women Rejecting Democracy?" Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2019. With Alixandra Yanus.
- \*"Adversity, Gender Stereotyping, and Appraisals of Female Political Leadership: Evidence from Latin America." Southeastern Conference of Latin American Studies, Oaxaca, Mexico, March 2019. Earlier versions of this paper were presented at the April 2017 meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago and at the meeting of Latin American Studies Association, Barcelona, May 2018.
- \*"National Pride, Xenophobia, and the Contrasting Effects of Elite Messaging in the 2016 Presidential Campaign." Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2018. With John Graeber.
- \*"Donald Trump Voters and Support for Gender Equality." Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2017. With Alixandra B. Yanus.
- \*"The Shortcomings of Explicit Measures of Bias against Female Political Leadership." Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, April 2016. An earlier version of the paper was presented at the Southern Political Science Association in San Juan, January 2016.
- \*"Religion and Attitudes toward Women Political Leaders in Latin America" Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2015. An earlier version of the paper was presented at the Southeastern Conference of Latin American Studies, Charleston, SC, March 2015.

- \*"The Impact of Evangelical Protestantism on the Candidacy Rates, Vote Share, and Nomination of Women in U.S. Congressional Districts." Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2014.
- \*"Evangelical Protestantism and Electoral Support for Women Congressional Candidates." Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2013. With Alixandra B. Yanus.
- \*"Evangelical Protestantism and Negative Gender Stereotypes toward Women Political Leaders." Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2012. With Alixandra B. Yanus.
- "The Election of Women in Brazil's Federal and State Elections." Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2011.
- "Intra-gender Competition and the Election of Women Executives and Legislators in Brazil." Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2010.
- \*"Determinants of the Civic Incorporation of Latino Youth." Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2009. With Nick McRee. A previous version of this paper was presented at the 2008 Western Political Science Association meeting in San Diego.
- "Are Mexicans Different? The Political Incorporation of Immigrant Youth in the United States." Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, March 2008. With Nick McRee
- "Patterns of Delinquency among Immigrant Youth and U.S. Adolescents." Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice. Seattle, WA. March 2007. Also presented at the 2007 Research Data Centre workshop, "Life Course Transitions of Children and Youth," held at Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia. October 2007. With Laurie Drapella and Nick McRee.
- "Creating a Critical Mass or Fragmenting the Vote? Intra-gender Competition and the Election of Women in Multimember Districts." American Political Science Association. Philadelphia, September 2006.
- "Partisan Attachment versus Party-Centric Voting? Evidence from Brazil." Latin American Studies Association. San Juan, PR. March 2006.
- "The Civic Incorporation of Young Immigrants in the United States." American Political Science Association. Washington, DC, September 2005. Also presented at the Pacific Sociological Association. San Francisco, April 2004. With Nick McRee.
- "Who Elects Women Legislators in Brazil? Electoral Rules versus Social Bases." Southern Political Science Association. New Orleans, January 2005.
- \*"Social Resources and Mass Partisanship in Latin America: Evidence from Urban Brazil." Western Political Science Association. Portland, OR. March 2004.
- "The Acquisition of Political Knowledge in Developing Democracies: Evidence from Urban Brazil." American Political Science Association. Boston, September 2002. Earlier versions of this paper were presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2002, and the Latin American Studies Association. Washington, DC. September 2001.
- "Fiscal Federalism in Brazilian States and Municipalities: A Roundtable with the Angolan Constitutional Commission-United States Study Mission," sponsored by the National Democratic Institute. University of Texas at Austin, May 2000.
- "Democratizing Urban Brazil: Local Elections and Legislatures in Post-Authoritarian Brazil." Annual Student Conference of the Lyndon Baines Johnson Urban Issues Program. Austin, TX, April 2000. An earlier version of the paper was presented at the Latin American Studies Association. Miami, March 2000.
- \*"Restricting Immigrant Access to Employment: An Examination of Regulations in Six States." Southwestern Political Science Association. Galveston, TX. March 2000. With Luis F. B. Plascencia and Gary P. Freeman

"The Electoral Roots of Weak Local Legislatures in Brazil." Latin American Studies Student Association,

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Austin, TX. February 2000.

- \*"Institutional Incentives and Material Imperatives in Urban Policymaking: One Hundred Years of Housing Policy in São Paulo, Brazil." American Political Science Association. Washington, DC, August 1997. An earlier version of the paper was presented at the Latin American Studies Student Association. Austin, TX, March 1997.
- \*"Affirmative Action at the Municipal Level: A Study of Texas Cities in the 1980s and 1990s." Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 1997. With Scott Graves and Franco Uccelli.

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE & AFFILIATIONS**

- **Associate journal editor.** Served a five-year term (2019-2024) on the editorial board of *The Latin Americanist*, where I recruited authors and reviewers and conducted initial manuscript reviews. The journal is the oldest continuously published Latin American studies journal in the US. It provides multidisciplinary, trilingual coverage of the field.
- Periodic peer reviewer for academic journals and organizations, including:

American Politics Research, American Political Science Review, Brazilian Political Science Review, British Journal of Political Science, Comparative Political Studies, Journal of the Middle East and Africa, Journal of Politics, Journal of Politics in Latin America; Journal of Women, Politics, & Policy; The Latin Americanist, Latin American Politics & Society; National Science Foundation, Política: Revista de Ciencia Política; Revista Latinoamericana de Opinión Pública, Politics & Gender, Religion and Politics, Politics and Research, Political Behavior; PS: Political Science & Politics, Religion and Politics, Sex Roles, Sociological Focus, and Social Forces.

- **Panel chair and paper discussant** for papers presented on a panel, *Born-Again Biases? American Religion's Impact on Evaluations of Candidates and Leaders*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. April 2023
- **Round table presentation.** *Teaching Political Science at Liberal Arts Colleges*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. April 2023
- **Round table presentation.** *Being Faculty at a Liberal Arts College*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. April 2019
- **Paper discussant** for papers presented on a panel, *The Politics of Underrepresented Groups in Latin America*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. April 2016
- **Paper discussant** for papers presented on a panel, *Elections and the Impact of Female Leaders in Latin America*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. April 2015
- **Paper discussant** for papers presented on a panel, *Clientelism and Corruption in Developing Societies*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. April 2012.
- **Panel chair** for *Institutions, Ideology, and Democracy in Latin America and the Caribbean*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. April 2010.
- **Paper discussant** for papers presented on a panel, *Latino/a Politics*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. March 2009.
- **Paper discussant and chair** for a panel, *New Perspectives on Brazilian Politics*, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago. March 2008.
- **Paper discussant** for papers presented on a panel, *Comparative Politics in the Developing World*, Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Political Science Association. Greensboro. February 2009.
- **Panel discussant and chair** for a panel, *Civil Rights and Affirmative Action*, Annual Meeting of the Economic and Business Historical Society. High Point, NC. May 2005.

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- **Panel discussant and chair** for a panel, *Challenges to Democracy in Latin America*, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association. New Orleans. Jan. 2005.
- Grant proposal merit evaluator, the National Security Educational Program, Washington, DC. March 2002 and April 2003.
- **Visiting scholar affiliations** with foreign universities: Pontificia Universidade Católica do Paraná, Brazil (1996); Center of Electoral Studies of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil (1998); the Graduate School of Administration at the Federal University of Bahia, Brazil (1999),
- **Professional Memberships**: Southeastern Latin American Studies Association, the Latin American Studies Association, the American Political Science Association, the Midwest Political Science Association.

The Political Science Department at the Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil (1999).

### **PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES**

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- **Dr. Martin Kifer**, Associate Professor and Chair of Political Science, High Point University One University Parkway, High Point, North Carolina 27268 (336) 841–9333 mkifer@highpoint.edu
- **Dr. Nick McRee**, Professor of Sociology, The University of Portland 5000 N. Willamette Blvd., Portland, Oregon 97203, (503) 943–7285 mcree@up.edu
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