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### **Degrees Earned**

Ph.D. Political Science, University of North Texas, Denton, TX.

Dissertation: "The value of human rights on the open market: Liberal Economic policies and the Achievement of Personal Integrity Rights", 2003. Chair: Steven Poe  
Awarded the University of North Texas Arts and Sciences award for Outstanding Dissertation.

B.A., Political Science and Russian, University of Texas at Arlington, 1993.

### **Journal Articles:**

"The Empire Strikes Back: The US Assault on the International Human Rights Regime" (with Rhonda Callaway) *Human Rights Review* March 2009.

"Attack of the Clones: A Pragmatic Guide to Maintaining a Research Agenda" (with Steven Galatas) *PS: Political Science and Politics, Volume XLI, no.2* 2008.

"Toward a Theory of Terrorism: Examining the Role of Human Rights in the Case of Northern Ireland" (with Rhonda Callaway) *Studies in Conflict and Terrorism, Volume 29:773-796*, 2006.

"Does Trade Openness Promote Security Rights in Developing Countries? Examining the Liberal Perspective" (with Rhonda Callaway) *International Interactions Vol.29, no. 2*, April-June 2003.

### **Books:**

*Lone Star Politics*, (with Ken Collier and Steven Galatas) CQ Press, 2008.

*Essential Readings in Human Rights: A Reader* (co-edited with Rhonda Callaway) Lynne Rienner Publications, 2007.

### **Chapters:**

"How to Win Friends and Influence Terrorism: State Repression in Chechnya" (with Rhonda Callaway) forthcoming in *Coping with Terrorism: Origins, Escalation, Counter Strategies and Responses*, William R. Thompson and Rafael Reuveny, eds., SUNY Press, 2010.

"What are Human Rights? Definitions and Typologies of Today's Human Rights Discourse" (with Rhonda Callaway) in *Exploring International Human Rights: Essential Readings*, Lynne Rienner Publications, 2007.

"Achieving Human Rights: The Globalization Debate" in *Exploring International Human Rights: Essential Readings*, Lynne Rienner Publications, 2007.

“Toward a Theory of Terrorism” (with Rhonda Callaway) in *Exploring International Human Rights: Essential Readings*, Lynne Rienner Publications, 2007.

“The Path from Trade to Human Rights: The Democracy and Development Detour” (with Rhonda Callaway) in *Understanding Human Rights Violations*, Steven Poe and Sabine Carey eds., Ashgate Publishing, 2004.

**Conference Papers:**

CISS Millennium Conference on Global Cooperation: Alliances, Institutions, and International Relations, 2010 “Broadening the Human Security Approach to Terrorism: The Role of the Human Rights Regime” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway

International Studies Association, 2010 “There’s No Place Like Home: The PKK’s Quest for a Homeland”, co-authored with Rhonda Callaway

Southwestern Political Science Association, 2009 “The Empire Strikes Back: The US Assault on the International Human Rights Regimes and Norms”, co-authored with Rhonda Callaway

Humanitarian Studies Conference, 2009 “War of the Worlds: Regime building and the tension between international support for humanitarianism and waning US support for human rights”, co-authored with Rhonda Callaway

Southwestern Political Science Association, 2007 “The Bureaucratization of Torture”, co-authored with Charles Abel

American Political Science Association, 2006 “Human Rights in Latin America: A Comparative Perspective” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway.

International Studies Association, 2006 “The Landscape of Human Rights in Asia: the Impact of Asian Values” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway

Public Administration and Theory Network, 2006 “Bureaucratizing Torture” with C. F. Abel

American Political Science Association, 2005 “The Spectrum of Human Security in Sub-Saharan Africa: A Comparative Analysis” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway.

International Studies Association, 2005 “Causes of Terrorism: The Case of Northern Ireland” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway.

International Studies Association, 2004 “Building a Causal Model of Terror: the Relationship between Human Rights and Terrorism.” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway.

International Studies Association, 2004. “Looking Beyond Aggregate Growth: Economic Integration and the Human Condition.” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway.

American Political Science Association, 2002 “Globalization's Path to Human Rights: The Democracy and Development Detour” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway.

European Consortium for Political Research in Turin Italy, 2002 “The Weakest Link: Debunking the direct link between trade and basic human needs” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway.

American Political Science Association, 2001 “State Delegation Strength: Does Cohesion Matter?” co-authored with Lisa Uhlir and Brian Barry

American Political Science Association, 2001 “Punishment: Legislators’ Perception of Interest Group Strategies” co-authored with Lisa Uhlir and Brian Barry

Midwest Political Science Association, 2001 “Interest Groups: Strategies and Legislative Perceptions” co-authored with Lisa Uhlir and Brian Bearry

Midwest Political Science Association, 2001 “How to obtain Congressional Interviews: What Works!” co-authored with Lisa Uhlir and Brian Bearry

Western Political Science Association, 2001 “Legislators’ Perceptions: Interest Groups Reward and Punishment” co-authored with Lisa Uhlir and Brian Bearry

Southern Political Science Association, 2000 “Globalization and Human Rights”

Midwest Political Science Association, 2000 “Human Rights and Investment: The Question of the Causal Arrow”

Democratization and Human Rights Conference, 1998 “Does Trade Affect Human Rights Practices: Political Rhetoric or Reality” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway

Southwestern Social Science Association, 1998 “Are Human Rights for Sale? Untangling the Relationship between Human Rights and Trade,” co-authored with Rhonda Callaway

### **Experience:**

Fall 2010 to present	<i>Associate Professor</i> , Stephen F. Austin State University
Fall 2004 to Spring 2010	<i>Assistant Professor</i> , Stephen F. Austin State University
Fall 2002 to Summer 2004	<i>Senior Lecturer</i> , University of Texas at Dallas
Fall 2001 to Spring 2002	<i>Adjunct Faculty</i> , Texas Christian University
Fall 2001	<i>Adjunct Faculty</i> , Southern Methodist University
Fall 1999 to Summer 2001	<i>Editorial Assistant</i> , Electoral Studies
Fall 1998 to Summer 2001	<i>Teaching Fellow</i> , University of North Texas
Summer 1999	<i>Fellow</i> , Time Series: Advances and Applications, University of Essex
Summer 1998 to Fall 1999	<i>Peace Studies Fellow</i> , University of North Texas. Assisted Dr. Steven Poe in development of a Peace Studies program including related curriculum development.
Spring 1997 to Spring 1999	<i>Research Assistant</i> for Dr. David Leblang and Dr. Emile Sahliyah Assisted in data collection and analysis for electoral systems, exchange rate data, and data examining democratization in the Middle East.

### **Teaching Interests**

Conflict and Security Studies, Peace Studies, Human Rights, American Foreign Policy, International Political Economy, International Terrorism, Scope and Methods

### **Courses Taught**

International Human Rights, International Political Economy, International Terrorism, International Conflict and Peace, Introduction to International Relations, Introduction to Political Methodology, American Federalism, American Foreign Policy, American and Texas Politics

## **Grants**

- 2004 \$325 Stephen F. Austin State University Mini Grant. Funds were requested to buy data for a book project on Human Rights.
- 2002 \$200 Toulouse Graduate School Travel Grant. Funds were used to support travel expenses to the European Consortium for Political Research Conference in Turin, Italy.
- 2000 \$2600 Department of Political Science University of North Texas Research Grant. This grant was used to travel to Washington, D.C. on three different occasions to interview members of Congress.
- 1998 \$350 Department of Political Science Travel Grant (multiple awards). Funds were used to support graduate student travel expenses to conferences at the Midwest Political Science Association, the Southern Political Science Association, the Southwestern Political Science Association, and European Consortium for Political Research.
- 2002
- 1999 \$600 University of Essex Fellowship used to travel to the University of Essex in England and assist in a course on Time Series: Advances and Applications.
- 1999 \$500 Department of Political Science University of North Texas Travel Grant. Funds were used to support travel expenses to the University of Essex in England.
- 1998 \$200 Hinman Symposium on Democratization and Human Rights Travel Grant from Binghamton University to support travel expenses to conference.

## **Professional Associations and Departmental Service:**

International Studies Coordinator, 2009 - current  
Political Science Program Coordinator, 2007-current  
APSA Human Rights Section, Executive Committee Member, 2005-2009  
Liberal Arts Council, Stephen F. Austin State University, 2004/2005, 2008-current (vice-chair 2009-2011)  
SFA World Politics Club, Founder and Faculty Sponsor  
Amnesty International SFA Club, Founder and Faculty Sponsor  
2008 Southern Political Science Association, Section Chair: Globalization and Human Rights  
2007 Southwestern Political Science Association, Section Chair: International Relations & Methodology  
Executive Committee, Political Science, Geography and Public Administration, 2005-2007  
Department Chair Search Committee, 2006/2007  
Comparative Politics Search Committee, 2005  
Geography Search Committee, 2005, 2006  
Graduate Studies Committee, 1999-2000  
International Relations Search Committee, 1998  
American Political Science Association  
International Studies Association  
Pi Sigma Alpha

## **Awards:**

SFA Professor of the Semester, School of Honors Spring 2006  
The University of North Texas Arts and Sciences award for Outstanding Dissertation, 2004  
Sam B. McAlister Award for Outstanding Ph.D. 2002  
Outstanding Graduate Mentor, Pi Sigma Alpha 2001, 2002  
Outstanding Graduate Student, Pi Sigma Alpha 2001  
Martin Colloquium invited speaker 1999, 2000 and 2001