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EDUCATION

Ph.D., 2014
Communication
Ohio State University
Chair: Kelly Garrett

M.A., 2010
Mass Communication
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities
Chair: Brian Southwell

B.A., 2005
Journalism and Mass Communication, Political Science
University of Wisconsin-Madison

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of Michigan

2015 – Present Assistant Professor, Department of Communication Studies

2015 – Present Faculty Associate, Center for Political Studies, Institute for Social
Research

University of Vienna

2014 – 2015 Universitätsassistent, Post-doctoral Researcher (equivalent to U.S.
Assistant Professor), Department of Communication

Ohio State University

2012 – 2014 Research Assistant for NSF Project “Misperceptions in an Internet Era”
(with Kelly Garrett)

2013 Instructor, School of Communication

2011-2012 Graduate Teaching Assistant, School of Communication
2010-2011 University Fellow

University of Minnesota-Twin Cities

2008 – 2010 Research Assistant (with Marco Yzer and Dan Sullivan)

HONORS & AWARDS

2018 Best Information Technology & Politics Article Award for best published ITP article in 2017: APSA, Information Technology and Politics Section

2018 Second Place, Best Paper Award: AEJMC Communication Theory and Methodology Division

2018 Sir Robert M. Worcester Prize for outstanding paper published in the International Journal of Public Opinion Research in 2017 (Lead Author)

2016 Second Place, Best Faculty Paper Award: AEJMC Political Communication Interest Group

2015 Third Place, Best Faculty Paper Award: AEJMC Political Communication Interest Group

2014 Timothy Cook Best Graduate Student Paper Award: APSA Political Communication Section (Sole Author)

2012 First Place, Moeller Student Paper Competition: AEJMC Mass Communication and Society Division (Sole Author)

2012 Walter B. Emery Memorial Scholarship Award (Top Junior Graduate Student Researcher), School of Communication, The Ohio State University

2011 Top 4 Paper: NCA Political Communication Division (Lead Author)

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

* Student co-author

Kwak, N., *Lane, D.S., *Lee, S.S., *Liang, F., & **Weeks, B.E.** (in press). From persuasion to deliberation: Do experiences of online political persuasion facilitate dialogic openness? *Communication Research*.

- Kwak, N., *Lane, D.S., **Weeks, B.E.**, *Kim, D.H., *Lee, S.S., & *Bachleda, S. (2018). Perceptions of social media for politics. Testing the slacktivism hypothesis. *Human Communication Research*, 44, 197-221.
- Weeks, B.E.**, *Lane, D.S., *Kim, D.H., *Lee, S.S., & Kwak, N. (2017). Incidental exposure, selective exposure, and political information sharing: Integrating online exposure patterns and expression on social media. *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication*, 22, 363-379.
- Garrett, R.K., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2017). Epistemic beliefs' role in promoting misperceptions and conspiracist ideation. *PLOS One*, 12(9): e0184733.
- *Lane, D.S., *Kim, D.H., *Lee, S., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Kwak, N. (2017). From online disagreement to offline action: How diverse motivations for using social media can increase political information sharing and catalyze offline political participation. *Social Media + Society*, 3 (3),1-14.
- Weeks, B.E.**, Ardévol-Abreu, A., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2017). Online influence? Social media use, opinion leadership, and political persuasion. *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, 29, 214-239. WINNER OF THE ROBERT M. WORCESTER PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING PAPER PUBLISHED IN IJPOR IN 2017 (WAPOR).
- Gil de Zúñiga, H., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Ardévol-Abreu, A. (2017). Effects of the 'news finds me' perception in communication: Social media use implications for news seeking and learning about politics. *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication*, 22, 105-123. WINNER OF APSA INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & POLITICS SECTION BEST PUBLISHED ARTICLE AWARD IN 2017.
- Maireder, A., **Weeks, B.E.**, Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Schlögl, S. (2017). Big data and political social networks: Introducing audience diversity and communication connector bridging measures in social network theory. *Social Science Computer Review*, 35, 126-141.
- Garrett, R.K., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Neo, R. (2016). Driving a wedge between evidence and beliefs: How online ideological news exposure promotes political misperceptions. *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication*, 21, 331-348.
- *Diehl, T., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2016). Political persuasion on social media: Tracing direct and indirect effects of news use and social interaction. *New Media & Society*, 18, 1875-1895.
- Weeks, B.E.**, Ksiazek, T.B., & Holbert, R.L. (2016). Partisan enclaves or shared media experiences? A network approach to understanding citizens' political news environments. *Journal of Broadcasting and Electronic Media*, 60, 248-268.
- *Hasell, A., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2016). Partisan provocation: The role of partisan news use and emotional responses in political information sharing in social media. *Human Communication Research*, 42, 641-661.

- Gil de Zúñiga, H., Valenzuela, S., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2016). Civic and social motivations for political discussion: Antecedents and consequences on civic engagement. *Human Communication Research*, 42, 533-552.
- Weeks, B.E.** (2015). Emotions, partisanship, and misperceptions. How anger and anxiety moderate the effect of partisan bias on susceptibility to political misinformation. *Journal of Communication*, 65, 699-719.
- Weeks, B.E.,** & Garrett, R.K. (2014). Electoral consequences of political rumors: Motivated reasoning, candidate rumors, and vote choice during the 2008 U.S. presidential election. *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, 26, 401-422.
- Holbert, R.L., **Weeks, B.E.,** & Esralew, S.E. (2013). Approaching the 2012 U.S. presidential election from a diversity of explanatory principles: Understanding, consistency, and hedonism. *American Behavioral Scientist*, 57, 1663-1687.
- Weeks, B.E.,** & Holbert, R.L. (2013). Predicting dissemination of news content in social media: A focus on reception, friending, and partisanship. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly*, 90, 212-232.
- Weeks, B.E.,** Friedenberg, L.M., Southwell, B.G., & Slater, J.S. (2012). Behavioral consequences of conflict-oriented health news coverage: The 2009 mammography guideline controversy and online information seeking. *Health Communication*, 27, 158-166.
- Holbert, R.L., Hmielowski, J.D., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2012). Clarifying relations between ideology and ideologically-oriented cable tv news use: A case of suppression. *Communication Research*, 39, 194-216.
- Weeks, B.,** & Southwell, B. (2010). The symbiosis of news coverage and aggregate on-line search behavior: Obama, rumors, and presidential politics. *Mass Communication & Society*, 13, 341-360.

Peer-reviewed Articles Published in Proceedings

- Garrett, R.K., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2013). The promise and peril of real-time corrections to political misperceptions. *Proceedings of the ACM 2013 Conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work (CSCW)*, 1047-1058, New York: ACM. 35% acceptance rate.

Book Chapters

- Weeks, B.E.,** & Garrett, R.K. (under contract). The emotional characteristics of social media and political misperceptions. In J.E. Katz (Ed.), *Social Media and Journalism's Search for Truth*. New York: Oxford University Press. [Peer Reviewed]
- Weeks, B.E.** (2018). Media and political misperceptions. In B. Southwell, E.A. Thorson, & L. Sheble (Eds.), *Misinformation and mass audiences* (pp. 140-156). Austin, TX: University of Texas Press. [Peer Reviewed]

Book Reviewed in *Public Understanding of Science*.

Encyclopedia Entries

Weeks, B.E., *Diehl, T., Huber, B., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2019). Journalism. In A. Schintler, C.L. McNeely, & G. Golson (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of big data*. Los Angeles, CA: Springer.

Weeks, B.E., & Holbert, R.L. (2014). Truth team. In K. Harvey and J.G. Golson (Eds.) *Encyclopedia of social media and politics* (pp. 1267-1269). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage

INVITED TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 *Emotion and health misperceptions*. Behavioral Research Program Working Group Meeting. National Cancer Institute.
- 2018 *The ecology of incidental exposure*. Panelist, International Communication Association, Prague, Czech Republic
- 2018 *The nature of news on social media*. Center for Political Studies, University of Michigan.
- 2018 *The problem of political misperceptions*. Research Center for Group Dynamics, University of Michigan.
- 2018 *From exposure to expression: Social media and political engagement*. Department of Media & Information, Michigan State University.
- 2017 *From exposure to expression: Social media and political engagement*. Department of Communication, University of California-Santa Barbara.
- 2013 *Online search behavior and political communication: Building theory with unobtrusive Internet data*. Panelist, International Communication Association, London, UK.
- 2012 *Misperceptions in the internet era*. School of Communication, Ohio State University
- 2011 *Electoral consequences of political rumors*. Amsterdam School of Communication Research, University of Amsterdam.

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

Weeks, B.E. (2018, October/November). *Is fact-checking persuasive? Assessing the effectiveness of corrective messages in countering political misinformation*. Paper to be

presented at the European Communication Research and Education Association, Political Communication Section. Lugano, Switzerland.

Weeks, B.E. (2018, August/September). *Fact-checking as persuasion? Countering misinformation with corrective messages*. Paper to be presented at the American Political Science Association Conference, Political Communication Section. Boston, MA.

*Lane, D.S., *Lee, S.S., *Liang, F., Kim, D.H., *Shen, L., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Kwak, N. (2018, August). *Expression and the political self: How political expression on social media can strengthen political self concepts*. Paper to be presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Communication Theory and Methodology Division. Washington, D.C. SECOND PLACE BEST PAPER AWARD

Kim, D.H., **Weeks, B.E.**, *Lane, D.S., *Potts, L.B., & Kwak, N. (2018, August). *From information reception to political learning on social media. Advancing the interaction mediation model*. Paper to be presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Political Communication Interest Group. Washington, D.C.

Weeks, B.E., Kim, D.H., *Potts, L., *Diehl, T.H., & Kwak, N. (2018, May). *Following politicians on social media, affect, and hostile media perceptions*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division. Prague, Czech Republic.

*Hiaeschutter-Rice, D., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2018, May). *Emotionality and engagement with news content in social media*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Mass Communication Division. Prague, Czech Republic.

Kwak, N., *Lane, D.S., *Lee, S.S., *Liang, F., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2018, May). *From persuasion to deliberation: Do experiences of online political persuasion facilitate dialogic openness?* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Communication and Technology Division. Prague, Czech Republic.

Pasek, J., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2018, May). *Informed = motivated? Explaining the paradox of knowledgeable motivated reasoners*. Paper presented at the American Association for Public Opinion Research. Denver, CO.

*Hiaeschutter-Rice, D., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2018, April). *What makes you 'like'? : Emotionality and engagement with political news content in social media*. Paper to be presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Information Technology & Politics Section. Chicago, IL.

Pasek, J., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2017, September). *Informed = motivated? Explaining the paradox of knowledgeable motivated reasoners*. Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Conference, Political Communication Section. San Francisco, CA.

Kwak, N., *Lane, D., **Weeks, B.E.**, *Kim, D., *Lee, S., & *Bachleda, S. (2017, August). *Does social media matter? How perceptions of political participation on social media can facilitate political expression and foster offline political participation.* Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Political Communication Interest Group. Chicago, IL.

Weeks, B.E., *Lane, D., *Kim, D.H., *Lee, S., & Kwak, N. (2017, May). *Incidental exposure, selective exposure, and political information sharing: Integrating exposure patterns and expression on social media.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division. San Diego, CA.

*Lane, D., *Kim, D.H., *Lee, S., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Kwak, N. (2017, May). *From online disagreement to offline action: How diverse motivations for using social media can increase political information sharing and catalyze offline political participation.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Communication and Technology Division. San Diego, CA.

Kwak, N., **Weeks, B.E.**, *Kim, D.H., *Lane, D., & *Lee, S. (2016, August). *Understanding the interplay between selective and incidental exposure online: The influence of nonlinear interaction on cross-cutting online political discussion.* Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Political Communication Interest Group. Minneapolis, MN. SECOND PLACE FACULTY PAPER AWARD

Weeks, B.E. (2016, June). *Political fact-checking as persuasion: How corrective messages can reduce political misperceptions.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division. Fukuoka, Japan.

Garrett, R.K., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2016, June). *Epistemological beliefs and misperceptions about contentious issues.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division. Fukuoka, Japan.

Weeks, B.E. (2015, December). *Angry and inaccurate: How emotions facilitate political misperceptions.* Paper presented at the Amsterdam School of Communication Research Political Psychology Conference. Amsterdam, Netherlands.

*Hasell, A.A., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2015, August). *Partisan provocation: The role of partisan news use and emotional responses in motivating information sharing.* Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Political Communication Interest Group. San Francisco, CA.

Gil de Zúñiga, H., Valenzuela, S., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2015, August) *Civic and social motivations for political discussion: Antecedents and consequences on civic engagement.* Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Political Communication Interest Group. San Francisco, CA. THIRD PLACE FACULTY PAPER AWARD

- Gil de Zúñiga, H., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Ardévol-Abreu, A. (2015, August). *The 'news finds me' effect in communication*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Communication Theory and Methodology Division. San Francisco, CA.
- Gil de Zúñiga, H., **Weeks, B.E.**, & *Diehl, T. (2015, August). *Advancing distinctive effects of political discussion and expression on political participation: The moderating role of online and social media privacy concerns*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Communication Technology Division. San Francisco, CA.
- Maireder, A., **Weeks, B.E.**, Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Schlögl, S. (2015, August). *Big data and political social networks: Introducing audience diversity and communication connector bridging measures in social network theory*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Communication Theory and Methodology Division. San Francisco, CA.
- Weeks, B.E.**, Ardévol-Abreu, A., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2015, June) *Online influence? Social media use, opinion leadership, and political persuasion*. Paper presented at the World Association for Public Opinion Research Conference, Buenos Aires.
- Weeks, B.E.** (2015, May). *Beyond partisanship. Anger, anxiety, and political misperceptions*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- *Diehl, T., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2015, May). *Social interaction on social media as a "path" to political persuasion: Social media for news, discussion disagreement and heterogeneity*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- Kim, S., Yzer, M.C., **Weeks, B.E.**, Vohs, K.D., & MacDonald III, A.W. (2014, April). *Convincing health messages reduce effects of psychological reactance*. Paper presented at the Kentucky Conference on Health Communication. Lexington, KY.
- Garrett, R.K., **Weeks, B.E.**, & Neo, R. (2013, November). *Media's contribution to the belief gap: Avoiding or discounting counter-attitudinal evidence?* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division. Washington, D.C.
- Weeks, B.E.** (2013, August/September). *Feeling is believing? The influence of emotions on citizens' false political beliefs*. Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Conference, Political Communication Section, Chicago, IL. TIMOTHY COOK BEST GRADUATE STUDENT PAPER AWARD
- Weeks, B.E.**, Ksiazek, T.B., & Holbert, R.L. (2013, June). *Partisan enclaves or diverse repertoires? A network approach to the political media environment*. Paper presented at

the International Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division. London.

Weeks, B.E. (2012, August) *Influences of anxiety and medium on news-based rumor transmission*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Mass Communication and Society Division. Chicago, IL. FIRST PLACE: MOELLER STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION

Weeks, B.E., & Holbert, R.L. (2012, May). *Social media, news, and the thwarting hypothesis: An assessment of the relationship between reception and transmission*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, Mass Communication Division, Phoenix, AZ.

Holbert, R.L., **Weeks, B.E., & Esralew, S.E.** (2012, May). *The shifting of explanatory principles in political communication media research: Understanding, consistency, and the need for diversity*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, Political Communication Division, Phoenix, AZ.

Weeks, B.E., & Garrett, R.K. (2011, November). *Assessing belief in online political rumors and its impact on vote choice*. Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Political Communication Division. New Orleans, LA. TOP FOUR PAPER AWARD

Holbert, R.L., Hmielowski, J.D., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2011, May). *Clarifying relations between ideology and ideologically-oriented cable tv news use: A case of suppression*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Political Communication Division. Boston, MA.

Weeks, B.E. (2010, November). *The roles of personal relevance and medium in understanding belief and transmission of rumors in the news*. Paper presented at the Midwest Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Conference. Chicago, IL.

Weeks, B.E., Friedenber, L., Southwell, B.G., & Slater, J. (2010, August). *Behavioral consequences of conflict-oriented news coverage: The 2009 mammography guideline controversy and online search trends*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Mass Communication and Society Division. Denver, CO.

Weeks, B.E., Depue, J.B., & Yzer, M.C. (2010, June). *The role of affect and perceived message effectiveness in understanding message effects on attitudes and intention toward marijuana use*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Health Communication Division. Singapore.

Weeks, B.E., & Southwell, B.G. (2009, August). *The symbiosis of news coverage and aggregate on-line search behavior: Obama, rumors, and presidential politics*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Mass Communication and Society Division. Boston, MA.

Sullivan, D., & **Weeks, B.E.** (2009, August). *Media concentration and the dynamics of misinformation: Implications for media ownership*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Convention, Mass Communication and Society Division. Boston, MA.

Weeks, B.E. (2009, March). *Did you know he's Muslim? Mainstream media agenda-setting for rumors about Obama's religion*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Midwinter Conference, Mass Communication and Society Division. Norman, OK.

Weeks, B.E. (2009, March). *The image of an enemy: The Bush administration, Muslim and Arab stereotypes, and Congressional discourse regarding the Patriot Act*. Paper presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Midwinter Conference, Cultural and Critical Studies Division. Norman, OK.

RESEARCH GRANTS AND FUNDING

Funded:

Converse Miller Fellowship in American Political Behavior (2017)
Center for Political Studies, University of Michigan
What Makes you 'Like'? *Emotionality and Engagement with Political News Content in Social Media*
Co-Principal Investigators: *Hiaeschutter-Rice, D., & **Weeks, B.E.**
Amount: \$6,000

Marsh Fund (2016-2017)
Department of Communication Studies, University of Michigan
Digital media and civic engagement in the 2016 U.S. presidential election
Co-Principal Investigators: **Weeks, B.E.**, & Kwak, N.
Amount: \$14,000

International Research Grant (2014-2015)
Department of Communication, University of Vienna
(Mis)information sharing: How emotions accelerate the spread of inaccurate information within social media
Principal Investigator: **Weeks, B.E.**
Amount: €1,500

University Fellowship (2010-2011)
Ohio State University
Amount: \$21,816

Graduate Research Partnership Program (GRPP) Summer Fellowship (2009)
University of Minnesota – Twin Cities, College of Liberal Arts
Amount: \$4,000

Research Expense Award (2008-2010)
School of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Minnesota – Twin Cities
Amount: \$500

Herbert B. Elliston Fellowship (2008)
School of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Minnesota – Twin Cities
Amount: \$3250

Not Funded:

Knight Foundation (2017)
Flagging (in)credibility of information in social media.
Principal Investigator: **Weeks, B.E.**
Amount \$50,000

National Science Foundation, Political Science Program (2017-2020)
Can group membership fuel motivated reasoning? Identity-driven divergence in factual judgments.
Principal Investigator: Pasek, J.; Co-PIs Earl, A., & **Weeks, B.E.**
Amount: \$349,635

SELECTED MEDIA COVERAGE OF RESEARCH

Breitbart, Christian Science Monitor, Daily Caller, Fiscal Times, Fox News, Houston Chronicle, Huffington Post, HuffPost Politics, HuffPo UK, Jezebel, Michigan Radio, MinnPost, MSN, Newsweek, The New Yorker, New York Observer, Nieman Journalism Lab, Pacific Standard, Politico, Poynter, Salon, Scientific American, Seattle Post-Intelligencer, SF Gate, TechCrunch, Think Progress, US News & World Report, Washington Post, Yahoo News

TEACHING

University of Michigan

Undergraduate Courses

Views on the News: What Shapes our Media Content (Undergraduate Lecture)
Political Misinformation and Misperceptions (Undergraduate Capstone Seminar)
The Internet and Political Communication (Undergraduate Seminar)

Graduate Courses

Political Communication (PhD Seminar)

Massive Open Online Courses

Fake News, Facts, and Alternative Facts (with Josh Pasek and Will Potter)

University of Vienna

Undergraduate Courses

Political Communication Theory (Undergraduate Theory Seminar)
Social Media and Politics (Undergraduate Methods Seminar)

Ohio State University

Undergraduate Courses (Instructor of Record)

Public Opinion and Communication (Undergraduate Seminar)

Teaching Assistant

Communication Industry Research Methods
Communication in Society

STUDENT MENTORING

University of Michigan

Ph.D. Student Advisor

Lauren Potts, Communication Studies (in progress)
Stewart Coles, Communication Studies (co-advise with Muniba Saleem) (in progress)

Dissertation Committee Member

Ian Hawkins, Communication Studies (in progress)
Dan Hiaeschutter-Rice, Communication Studies (in progress)
Dan Lane, Communication Studies (in progress)
Fabian Neuner, Political Science (completed, 2018)
Michael Hall, Psychology (completed, 2018)
Dam Hee Kim, Communication Studies (completed, 2017)

Literature Review Reader/Pre-candidacy Committee

Dan Hiaeschutter-Rice, Communication Studies (2018)
Elizabeth Whittaker, School of Information (2018)
Dan Lane, Communication Studies (2018)

Research Group and Lab Coordination

2015-Present Internet, Communication, & Politics Research Group (ICPRG) (Co-organizer)
2015-Present Political Communication Working Group (Member)

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Advisor

Xiaolei Wang (completed, 2018)

Undergraduate Research Practicum

Adriana Hassan (Winter 2016)

UNIVERSITY OUTREACH

Fake News, Facts, and Alternative Facts. (2017). University of Michigan Teach-Out Series
(Course ran in April and October, 2017)

Why partisan news—not just fake news—promotes political misperceptions. (2017). LSA Learn
Speak Act Blog. University of Michigan.

Fake news and the web of deceit. (2017). LSA On Point Series, University of Michigan.

SERVICE

Editorial Board

Journal of Communication (2018-Present)

Ad hoc Reviewer

American Behavioral Scientist
American Journal of Political Science
American Politics Research
Annals of the International Communication Association
British Journal of Political Science
Communication Methods and Measures
Communication Monographs
Communication Reports
Communication Research
Cuadernos.info
Electoral Studies
Health Communication
Human Communication Research
International Journal of Communication
International Journal of Press/Politics
International Journal of Public Opinion Research
Journal of Communication
Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication
Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly
Mass Communication & Society
New Media & Society
PLoS One
Political Behavior
Political Communication
Public Opinion Quarterly
Science
Social Media + Society
Social Science Computer Review

Reviews (last five years): 2014=11; 2015=14; 2016=15; 2017=21; 2018=13

External Reviewer (Grants and Fellowships)

2018 European Research Council
2018 Israel Science Foundation
2017 MacArthur Foundation Fellowship

Conference and Association Activities

Conferences Organized

2016 “Communication Research Methods 2016: Practices & Challenges.” Co-organized with J. Vogelgesang, M. Elson, & M. Scharrow. Pre-conference at the International Communication Association Annual Meeting, Fukuoka, Japan.

Positions and Committees

2018 Timothy E. Cook Best Graduate Student Paper Award Committee, Political Communication Section, APSA
2017 Innovation Award Committee, Mass Communication Division, ICA
2014-2015 Nomination Committee, Political Communication Division, NCA

Manuscript Reviewer

2012-2017 ICA, Political Communication Division
2011, 2014-2015 ICA, Mass Communication Division
2013, 2015 AEJMC, Political Communication Interest Group
2015 AEJMC, Communication Theory & Methodology Division
2012-2013 NCA, Political Communication Division

Session Chair

2015-2018 ICA, Political Communication Division
2013 ICA, Mass Communication Division

Discussant

2018 APSA, Political Communication Section
2016 AEJMC, Communication Theory & Methods Division
2015 Digital Korea Conference, University of Michigan

Other

2017 APSA, Graduate Student Mentor, Political Communication Section

Department Activities

University of Michigan

2018 Graduate Admissions Committee
2017-Present Graduate Program Committee
2016-2018 Methodology Workshop Committee
2017 Graduate Student Job Market Workshop

Ohio State University

2012-2013 Graduate Student Representative, Social Networks Job Search Committee

University of Minnesota-Twin Cities

2009-2010 Member, Speakers' Series Committee
2009-2010 Chair, Brown Bag Research Presentation Committee

Research Center Activities

University of Michigan, Center for Political Studies, Institute for Social Research

2018 Reviewer, Converse Miller Fellowship Competition

University Activities

University of Michigan

2017 Judge, Munger Graduate Residence Program Case Competition

AFFILIATIONS

Active

International Communication Association (ICA)
Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC)
American Political Science Association (APSA)
European Communication Research and Education Association (ECREA)

Occasional

National Communication Association (NCA)
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)
World Association for Public Opinion Research (WAPOR)