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### Education

- Ph.D. December 2000 - Political Science, University of Iowa. Dissertation: "Voting Behavior during Economic and Political Transitions: The Case of Post-Communist East Central Europe"  
Chair: Michael S. Lewis-Beck
- M.A. May 1995 – Political Science, University of Iowa
- B.A. December 1993 - College of St. Catherine (St. Paul, Minnesota)

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### Academic Positions

#### University of Virginia:

- Assistant Dean for Graduate Programs, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, and Assistant Professor on the General Faculty, affiliated with the Depts. of Politics and Economics, 2009-present
- Assistant Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, and Assistant Professor on the General Faculty, affiliated with the Departments of Politics and Economics, 2007-2009
- Assistant Dean and Lecturer, College of Arts and Sciences, affiliated with the Departments of Politics and Economics, 2003-2007
- Lecturer, Department of Economics, 1999-2001

Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic – Institute of Sociology:  
Visiting Scholar, Spring 2009

#### Virginia Military Institute:

- Assistant Professor, tenure-track, Department of International Studies, 2001-2003

#### Mary Baldwin College:

- Adjunct Professor, Independent Study Adult Degree Program, 2003-present
- Adjunct Professor, Department of Political Science, Spring 2001

#### University of Iowa:

- Instructor, Department of Political Science, Spring 1999
- Research Assistant, Department of Political Science, 1998-1999
- Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science, 1995-1997

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### Publications

- "American Voter to Economic Voter: Evolution of an Idea." *Electoral Studies*, forthcoming 2009. (with Michael S. Lewis-Beck)
- "Learning the Economic Vote: Hungarian Forecasts, 1998-2010." *Politics and Policy*, forthcoming August 2009. (with Michael S. Lewis-Beck)
- "The Endurance of the Czech Communist Party." *Politics and Policy*, forthcoming August 2009. (with Klára Vlachová)
- "Elections, Parties and Voters in the New European Democracies: 20 Years After the Fall of Communism" (Introduction to the Special Issue) *Politics and Policy*, forthcoming August 2009.

- “Macroeconomics and the 2008 Election.” 2009. *The Political Economist: Newsletter of the Section on Political Economy, American Political Science Association*, vol. 11 (Spring 2009): 10-14. (with Michael S. Lewis-Beck) [http://www.apsanet.org/~polecon/The\\_Political\\_Economist.Spring2009.pdf](http://www.apsanet.org/~polecon/The_Political_Economist.Spring2009.pdf)
- “Economic and Political Effects on European Parliamentary Electoral Turnout in Post-Communist Europe.” *Electoral Studies*, vol. 27 (December 2008): 661-672. (with Christine Fauvelle-Aymar)
- “The Economic Vote in Transitional Democracies.” *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties*, vol. 18 (August 2008): 303-323. (with Michael S. Lewis-Beck)
- “The Parliamentary Election in the Czech Republic, June 2006.” *Electoral Studies*, vol. 27 (March 2008): 179-184. (with Klára Plecítá-Vlachová)
- “Economic Models of Voting.” 2007. Pages 518-537 in *The Oxford Handbook of Political Behavior*, edited by Russell J. Dalton and Hans-Dieter Klingemann. Oxford University Press. (with Michael S. Lewis-Beck)
- “Gender and Generation Gaps in Russian Economic Values during the Yeltsin Years.” *Politics and Policy*, vol. 33 (September 2005): 416-443. (with Gwyn Erb)
- “Economic Evaluations and Electoral Participation in Poland, Hungary, Slovakia, and the Czech Republic.” *Virginia Social Science Journal*, vol. 39 (Winter 2004): 71-90.
- “The 2002 Election to the Chamber of Deputies, Czech Republic.” *Electoral Studies*, vol. 22 (December 2003): 772-778. (with Klára Plecítá-Vlachová)
- “Post-Socialist Democratization: A Comparative Political Economy Model of the Vote for Hungary and Nicaragua.” *Electoral Studies*, vol. 22 (September 2003): 469-484. (with Michael S. Lewis-Beck and Leslie Anderson)
- “The Effects of Gender Roles on Russian Political Attitudes in 1992.” *Virginia Social Science Journal*, vol. 38 (Winter 2003): 33-51. (with Gwyn Erb)
- “A Comparison of National Effects on Individual U.S. Senate Elections.” *Politics and Policy*, vol. 29 (September 2001): 545-567. (with Scott Lasley)
- “Economic Determinants of Electoral Outcomes.” *Annual Review of Political Science*, vol. 3 (2000): 183-219. (with Michael S. Lewis-Beck)

### **Works in Progress**

- “Shocks and Oscillations: The Political Economy of Hungary” (with Michael S. Lewis-Beck)

### **Professional Service**

- Southern Political Science Association: Membership Development Committee Chairperson, 2004-2008; Membership Development Committee Member, 2008-present
- Politics and Policy*: Associate Editor and Editorial Board Member, 2005-present; Guest Editor for August 2009 special issue “Elections, Parties and Voters in the New European Democracies: Twenty Years after the Fall of Communism”
- Virginia Social Science Journal*: Co-Editor, 2009-present; Associate Editor, 2006-2009, and Editorial Board Member, 2004-2006
- Virginia Social Science Association: President, 2009-present; Vice President and Conference Program Chair, 2007-2009; Executive Board Member, 2003-2007

Referee for Peer-reviewed Journals:

*American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, British Journal of Political Science, Comparative Political Studies, Economics and Politics, Electoral Studies, European Journal of Political Research, International Journal of Forecasting, Journal of Politics, Political Behavior, Political Research Quarterly, Politics and Policy, Southern Economic Journal, Virginia Social Science Journal*

Phi Beta Kappa: University of Virginia Chapter, Treasurer, 2005-present

National Editorial Board Member for the *Proceedings* of NCUR (National Conference on Undergraduate Research) 2003-2007

Book Reviewer: Cambridge University Press, Wadsworth Publishing, Blackwell Publishers, Routledge

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## **University Service**

University of Virginia:

### *Search Committees:*

College and Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Dean Search Committee Member, Spring 2007

Office of the Dean of Students, Assistant Dean Search Committee Member, Spring 2006

University Career Services, Assistant Director Search Committee Member, Spring and Summer 2005

College of Arts and Sciences, Association Dean Search Committee Member, Spring 2005

### *Student System Project (Implementation of PeopleSoft System at UVA) Committees:*

Core Advisors to the Student System Project (CASS), Committee Member, April 2007-present

Deans Designees, Committee Member, May-September 2008, May 2009-present

Graduate Admissions Committee, May 2009-present

Interactive Design and Prototyping Workshops (IDP), College of Arts and Sciences Representative, May-November 2007

Student Life Cycle Working Group, July 2008-present

Academic Advisement and Transfer of Credit Working Groups Member, December 2007-January 2009

### *Center for Undergraduate Excellence:*

Rhodes/Marshall Scholarship, Campus Review Committee Member, 2007, 2008

Fulbright Award, Campus Review Committee Member, 2006, 2007, 2008

Truman Scholarship, Campus Review Committee Member, 2006, 2007, 2008

UK Fellows Program, Campus Review Committee Member, 2007, 2008

Harrison Summer Undergraduate Research Award, Judge for the Social Sciences, 2005-08

### *Summer Orientation, Residence Life, and Undergraduate Advising Activities:*

Summer Orientation, "College Academic Requirements" presentations to new students, 2004-08

Summer Orientation, "Intellectual Life at UVA" presentations to parents, 2006-2008

Residence Life, Graduate Advisor Selection Committee Member, 2004-07

Academic Advisor for non-majors, Echols Scholars, and Economics majors, 2004-present

College Advising Seminar (COLA), Instructor, Fall 2006, Fall 2007, Fall 2008

Office of African American Affairs, Mentor, 2003-2008

### *Other University of Virginia Service:*

School of Continuing and Professional Studies, Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies degree program, Academic Oversight Committee member, Fall 2008 – present

Panelist on "Listening and Supporting" panel for parents of UVA students, Richmond, VA, September 18, 2008

Virginia Military Institute:

Summer Undergraduate Research Institute, Program Director, 2002-03; Associate Director, 2001-02

Academic Advisor for International Studies Majors, 2001-2003

University of Iowa:

The University of Iowa Center for Teaching, Review Board Member, Spring 1998

University of Iowa Summer Intensive Russian Language and Mentorship Project Administrator, 1997

University of Iowa, Department of Political Science, Comparative Politics Search Committee Member, 1996-97

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### **Awards and Grants**

Thomas Jefferson Teaching Award - Virginia Military Institute, 2003

- One award given annually to a junior faculty member

Grant-in-Aid of Research - Virginia Military Institute, Summer 2003

- Research on gender and attitudes in Russia

Artinian Award for Faculty Development - Southern Political Science Association

- Travel to present a paper at the November 2002 meeting in Savannah

- Travel to present a paper at the November 2001 meeting in Atlanta

Faculty Development Grant - Virginia Military Institute, Spring 2002

T. Anne Cleary International Dissertation Fellowship - University of Iowa

- Dissertation research in the Czech Republic, Fall 1998

Stanley Fellowship - University of Iowa

- Dissertation research and language study in the Czech Republic, Summer 1998

Research Grant - University of Iowa Student Government

- Travel for dissertation research in the Czech Republic, Summer 1998

FLAS Fellowship (Foreign Language Area Studies) - U.S. Department of Education through the University of Iowa Center for Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies

- Russian language and area studies, academic year 1997-1998

Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award 1996/97 - University of Iowa Council on Teaching

- The council honors 25 Teaching Assistants campus-wide

Intensive Russian Language Scholarship - University of Iowa, Social Science Research Council (SSRC) and the American Council of Teachers of Russian (ACTR), Summer 1996

Foreign Language Study Scholarship - University of Iowa Graduate College

- Advanced-level German in the Iowa Regents Program, Austria, Summer 1995

Research Fellowship and Tuition Scholarship - University of Iowa Political Science Department, 1994-95 academic year

St. Catherine of Alexandria Tuition Scholarship - College of St. Catherine, 1990-1993

Phi Beta Kappa, 1993

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### **Conference Presentations, Seminars, and Lectures**

“Shocks and Oscillations: The Political Economy of Hungary.” Presented at the Texas A&M University conference on The Politics of Economic Crisis in Europe and Beyond, May 2009. Co-authored with Michael S. Lewis-Beck.

“The Endurance of the Czech Communist Party.” Presented at the Southern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA – January 2009. Co-authored with Klára Plecítá-Vlachová.

- “American Voter to Economic Voter: Evolution of an Idea.” Co-authored with Michael S. Lewis-Beck.  
Presented at:
- Shambaugh Conference on The American Voter: Change or Continuity over the last Fifty Years, University of Iowa - May 2008.
  - The Northeastern Political Science Association Meetings, Boston – November 2008
- “Economic and Political Effects on European Parliamentary Electoral Turnout in Post-Communist Europe.”  
Life in Motion Conference, Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic, June 2007. Co-authored  
with Christine Fauvelle-Aymar.
- “European Parliamentary Electoral Turnout in Post-Communist Europe.” Co-authored with Christine  
Fauvelle-Aymar. Presented at:
- The Southern Political Science Association Meetings, Atlanta – January 2006.
  - The Virginia Social Science Association Meetings, Richmond – March 2006.
  - The Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Chicago – April 2006
- “Gender and the 2004 US Election.” Lecture at St. Anne’s-Belfield High School, October 27, 2004.
- Virginia Political Science Meetings – Participated in the “Europe and the U.S.: How Serious is the Divide?”  
Roundtable. Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA – November 2003.
- “Faculty Perceptions of University Parental Leave Policies.” Co-authored with Tinni Sen.
- Presented at the American Political Science Association Meeting, Philadelphia – August 2003.
  - Presented at the Virginia Social Science Association Meeting, Newport News, VA – March 2003.
- “Post-Communist Gender and Generation Gaps: Impact on Russian Economic Values.” Presented at the  
Southern Political Science Association Meeting, Savannah, GA – November 2002. Co-authored  
with Gwyn Erb.
- “The 2002 Czech Chamber of Deputies Election.” Presented at the International Studies Association – South  
Meeting, Richmond, VA – October 2002. Co-authored with Klára Plecítá-Vlachová
- “Economic and Political Determinants of Vote Choice in Post-Communist East Central Europe.”  
Virginia Social Science Association Meeting, Lexington, VA – March 2002.
- “Economic and Political Determinants of Vote Choice in Post-Communist East Central Europe.” Presented at  
the Southern Political Science Association Meeting, Atlanta, GA – November 2001.
- “Economics and U.S. Elections.” Lecture to the Albemarle County Social Studies Forum. March 28, 2001.
- Virginia Political Science Meetings – Participated in the “Elections in Europe” Roundtable. Virginia  
Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA – December 1, 2001.
- “Voter Turnout during Economic and Political Transitions: The Case of East Central Europe.” Presented at  
the Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL - April 2000.
- “The Effects of Gender on Political Attitudes in Russia.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science  
Association Meeting, Chicago, IL - April 1999. Co-authored with Gwyn Erb.
- “An Integrative Model of U.S. Senate Elections.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association  
Meeting, Chicago, IL - April 1998. Co-authored with Scott Lasley.
- “Changing Attitudes toward the Roles of Women in Germany: 1991 - 1996.” Presented at the Southern  
Political Science Association Meeting, Norfolk, VA - November 1997.
- “The Politics of Economic Forecasting.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Meeting,  
Chicago, IL - April 1997.
- “Testing Subpresidential Voting Hypotheses: Evidence from Individual Senate Elections.” Presented at the  
Northeastern Political Science Association Meeting, Boston - November 1996. Co-authored with  
Scott Lasley.

“Explaining Attitudes toward the Roles of Women in a Unified Germany.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago IL - April 1996.

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### **Conference Panel Chair, Discussant, and Moderator Roles**

Panel Moderator and Organizer for “Getting a Book Published in Political Science” roundtable at the Southern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA – January 2009.

Panel Chair and Discussant for “People are Talking: The Politics of Popular Opinion” panel at the Northeastern Political Science Association Meeting, Boston - November 2008

Panel Chair and Organizer for “Getting Published: Tips from the Editors” roundtable at the Southern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA – January 2008.

Moderator and organizer for multiple panels at the Virginia Social Science Association Meeting, University of Richmond - March 2007.

Panel Chair for “Electoral Choice: Partisans and Voters in Diverse Settings” panel at the Southern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA – January 2007.

Moderator for “When Levees Break: an African American Studies Perspective on Katrina” panel at the University of Virginia Symposium on Race and Society, October 2006.

Panel Chair and Discussant for “Variation in Electoral Systems and Political Behavior: Some Comparative Analyses” and “Media Effects, Macro and Micro” panels at the Southern Political Science Association Meetings, Atlanta – January 2006.

Panel Organizer and Chair for “Recent International Relations” and “The 2004 Election” panels at the Virginia Social Science Association Meetings, Richmond, VA – March 2005.

Panel Chair for “Voting Behavior” panel and Paper Discussant for “Electoral Turnout” panel at the Southern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA – January 2005.

Panel Chair for “Comparative Study of Elections” panel at the Southern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA – January 2004.

Paper Discussant on the “Mass Public Support for Political and Economic Reforms in Russia and East-Central Europe” panel at the Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL – April 2003.

Aspen Institute Wye Faculty Seminar on “Citizenship in the American Polity” Participant. Queenstown, MD - July 21-27, 2001.

Paper Discussant on the “Theoretical Issues in the Study of Public Opinion” panel at the Northeastern Political Science Association Meetings - November 1996.

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### **Courses Taught**

American Government

Comparative Elections and Voting Behavior

Economics and Elections

Economics and Elections in Comparative Perspective

Economics and Gender

College Advising Seminar: Women in Politics and the Economy/Business

Elections and American Democracy

Introduction to International Studies

Political Behavior

Politics in Russia and Eastern Europe

Women and American Politics

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**International Work, Research, and Study**

Visiting Scholar at the Institute of Sociology, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Spring 2009

Virginia Military Institute Prague Spring Break Trip 2003

- Organized and led spring break cultural-education trip to Prague, Czech Republic for 25 students

Dissertation Research in Ostrava and Prague, Czech Republic, Summer and Fall 1998

- Conducted in-depth interviews with Czech voters and gathered materials on the 1998 Czech Parliamentary Elections

Advanced-level Czech Language Study, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic, Summer 1998

Iowa Regents Summer German Language Study Abroad Participant, Austria, 1992 and 1995

English Conversation Teacher in Ostrava, Czech Republic, Spring 1994