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EDUCATION

***University of California, San Diego**, La Jolla, CA.*
Ph.D. in Political Science (2000).

***Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS)**, Washington, D.C.*
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BOOKS

- *War and Democratic Constraint: How the Public Influences Foreign Policy*. 2015. With Phil Potter. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
    - *Selected by Choice as "Outstanding Academic Title" for 2015*.
- *War Stories: The Causes and Consequences of Public Views of War.* 2010. With Tim Groeling Princeton: Princeton University Press.
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- "The Political Consequences of Depression: How Conspiracy Beliefs, Participatory Inclinations, and Depression Affect Support for Political Violence. 2023. *American Journal of Political Science*. Published online 9/11/23. (with James N. Druckman, Jennifer Lin, Matthew Simonson, and Roy H. Perlis).
- "Depressive Symptoms and Conspiracy Beliefs." 2023. *Applied Cognitive Psychology* 37:332-359. (with Jon Green, James N. Druckman, David Lazer, Katherine Ognyanova, and Roy H. Peris.)
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- "New Media and the Polarization of American Political Discourse." 2008. *Political Communication* 25:4: 345-365 (with Tim Groeling).
    - Received 2009 APSA Information Technology and Politics Section's award for best article on Information Technology and Politics published in 2008.
- "Crossing the Water's Edge: Elite Rhetoric, Media Coverage and the Rally-Round-the-Flag Phenomenon." 2008. *Journal of Politics* 70(October): 1065-85 (with Tim Groeling).
- "In the Eye of the Beholder: How Information Shortcuts Shape Individual Perceptions of Bias in the Media." 2008. *Quarterly Journal of Political Science* 3:1: 1-31 (with Phil Gussin).
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    - Received ASCoR Denis McQuail Award for Best Article Advancing Communication Theory in an ISI ranked journal, worldwide, 2006.
- "How Cable Ended the Golden Age of Presidential Television: 1969-2006." 2006. In Samuel Kernell and Steven S. Smith, eds., *The Principles and Practice of American Politics.* Washington D.C.: Congressional Quarterly Press.
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    - Received APSA Political Communication Section's Paul Lazarsfeld Award for best paper on political communication presented at the 2002 APSA Conference.
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- "The *Political* Economy of Growth: Democracy and Human Capital." 2003. *American Journal of Political Science* 47(April):333-347 (with David Lake).
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- " The Constituent Foundations of the Rally-Round-the-Flag Phenomenon." 2002. *International Studies Quarterly* 46 (June): 263-298.
    - Received APSA Presidency Research Group's "Founder's Award" for best paper on the presidency presented at the 2000 APSA Conference.
- "The Media Revolution and the Political Use of Force." 2002. In *Conflict, Cooperation and Information*, edited by Juliann Allison. New York: SUNY Press.
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- "Has Cable Ended the Golden Age of Presidential Television?" 1999. *American Political Science Review* 93 (March): 1-16 (with Sam Kernell).

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- "Abortion is not influencing most voters as the midterms approach – economic issues are predominating in new survey." *The Conversation* 11/1/22. (with Alauna Safarpour, Jonathan Schulman, and Kristin Lunz-Trujillo.)
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- Review of *Long Cycles in World Politics* by George Modelski. 1989. In *SAIS Review* 9:1.
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WORKING PAPERS

- "Depression and Presidential Approval" (with Katherine Ognyanova, Roy H. Perlis, James N. Druckman and David Lazer). Under review.

- "Conditional Preferences Under High-Salience Uncertainty: The Case of Opening Schools During a Pandemic." (with Matthew Simonson, James N. Druckman, Kathryn Ognyanova, David Lazer, Roy H. Perlis, John Della Volpe, Mauricio Santillana, Jon Green and Alexi Quintana)
- "Risk Factors for SARS-CoV-2 Transmission Through Intrahousehold Networks" (with Matthew Simonson, James N. Druckman, Kathryn Ognyanova, David Lazer, Roy H. Perlis, John Della Volpe, Mauricio Santillana, Jon Green and Alexi Quintana)
- "You've Got to Know When to Fold Them: Reassessing Bluffing, Resolve, and Reputation in Politics." Paper prepared for presentation to the 2020 meeting of the International Studies Association, Honolulu, HI. (with Phil Potter and Bryce Dietrich).
- "Dynamic Persuasion: Decay and Accumulation of the Persuasive Effects of Partisan Media." Paper prepared for presentation to the 2020 meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. (with Zachary Markovich, Adam J. Berinsky, Justin de Benedictis-Kessner and Teppei Yamamoto). Under review.
- Estimating the Duplicate Voting Rate in the United States." Paper presented at the 2019 meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C. (with Bryce J. Dietrich, Ryan D. Enos, David M.J. Lazer, Margaret Schwenzfeier and Maya Sen.)
- "How Selective Reporting Shapes Inferences about Conflict." Paper prepared for the 2016 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA. (with Yuri Zhukov).
- "Information, Popular Constraint, and the Democratic Peace." Paper prepared for the 2014 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C. (with Phil Potter)
- "Partisan News Before Fox: Newspaper Partisanship and Partisan Polarization, 1869-1992." (with Tim Groeling). Paper prepared for the 2013 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.
- "War Through Red- and Blue-Colored Glasses: Partisan News Self-Selection and Public Opinion on the NATO Intervention in Libya" (with Tim Groeling). Paper prepared for the 2012 meeting of the American Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA.
- "Emotions, the Horserace Metaphor and the 2008 Presidential Campaign." Paper presented at the 2010 meeting of the American Political Science Association. Washington, DC (with Ann Crigler, Marion Just, and Jesse Mills).
- "Foreign Policy Views and U.S. Standing in the World." Paper presented at 2009 meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, Canada (with Henry Nau).
- "Political Scandal, Gender, and Tabloid News: An Experimental Examination of News Preferences for Scandalous News." Paper presented at 2006 Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA. With Tim Groeling and Martie Haselton. *(Under review.)*
- "Issue Bias: How Issue Coverage and Media Bias Affect Voter Perceptions of Elections." Paper presented at 2005 Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C. With Phil Gussin.
- "Sanctioning in the Shadow of War: The Interdependence of Economic Sanctions and the Use of Military Force." Paper presented at the 2003 Meeting of the International Studies Association, Portland, OR. With Angela O'Mahony and Michael Hiscox.
- "Public Opinion and the Domestic Politics of Congressional Trade Sanctions." Paper presented at the 2002 Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL. With Angela O'Mahony and Michael Hiscox.
- "Playing to the Crowd: Public Opinion and the Initiation of Trade Sanctions." Paper presented at the 2001 Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA. With Angela O'Mahony and Michael Hiscox.
- "Trade and Conflict in the Cold War Era: An Emprical Analysis Using Directed Dyads. "Paper presented at the Workshop on Trade and Conflict of the 2000 ECPR Joint Workshops, Copenhagen, Denmark, April 9, 2000 (with Neal Beck).

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, HONORS & AWARDS

- Sigma Xi Distinguished Lecturer, 2025-2027
- National Science Foundation Grant. "Collaborative Research: State Health, Institutions, and Politics Survey (SHIPS)", 2023.
    - Rebranded "Civic Health and Institutions Project" (CHIP50)
    - Won the 2025 American Association of Public Opinion Research *Warren J. Mitovsky Innovator*

Award

- National Science Foundation Grant. "Collaborative Research: U.S. Institutions after COVID-19: Trust, accountability, and public perceptions", 2021.
- Russell Sage Foundation Research Grant for "Multi-Wave 50-State COVID-19 survey: empowering a national response", 2021.
- National Science Foundation "Rapid Grant" to study COVID-19, for co-creating "The COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public's Policy Preferences Across States" (www.covidstates.org), 2020.
- Social Science Research Council (SSRC)/Social Science One grant for studying the efficacy of fact checking on Facebook and Twitter, 2019.
- Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS) grant for experimental project titled: "Uncovering Bias in the Adjudication of Rape Cases in the US," 2017.
- Harvard University, Foundations of Human Behavior Initiative, Faculty Research Grant, 2017.
- Journal of Peace Research's 2015 "Best Visualization Award" for visual presentation of data in an article published in JPR in 2015, for "Filtering Revolution: Reporting Bias in International Newspaper Coverage of the Libyan Civil War."
- National Science Foundation grant for project entitled "A New Design for Identifying Persuasion Effects and Selection in Media Exposure Experiments via Patient's Preference Trials" (with Adam Berinsky and Teppei Yamamoto). (Top-rated proposal of January 2015 review cycle, Political Science Division.), 2015.
- Harvard University, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Faculty Research Grant, 2015.
- Research Grant from Ash Center for development of voter mobilization social network game, 2014.
- Research Grant from Folke Bernadotte Academy for project on causes and consequences of rape culture in mass media (with Dara Cohen and Yuri Zhukov), 2013.
- Nominated by Harvard Kennedy School 2008 Alumni for "Most Inspirational Professor" Award, 2013.
- Raymond Vernon Commemorative Award for Mentoring Junior Faculty. Harvard Kennedy School, 2013.
- Harvard University, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Faculty Research Grant, 2013.
- APSA Information Technology and Politics Section award for best paper on information technology and politics presented at 2008 APSA Conference, 2009.
- Harvard University, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Faculty Research Grant, 2009.
- Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government, Dean's Research Fund, Seed Grant, 2007.
- "Lunch on the Dean" award for outstanding teaching, Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government, 2007.
- Honorary Fellow, Amsterdam School of Communication Research (ASCoR), 2007-08
- ASCoR Denis McQuail Award for Best Article Advancing Communication Theory in an ISI ranked journal (worldwide), 2006
- UCLA Academic Senate Faculty Research Grant, 2007
- Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government Joan Shorenstein Center on the Press, Politics, and Public Policy, Faculty Research Grant, 2007
- Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government, Women and Public Policy Program, Faculty Research Grant, 2007.
- Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government, Dean's Research Fund, Seed Grant, 2006.
- Finalist for APSA Political Communication Section Graber Award for best book on political communication published in the last 10 years, 2006
- Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS) experimental research grant, 2006
- UCLA Academic Senate Faculty Research Grant, 2005
- Winner of Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS) Special Competition for funding experimental research, 2005
- University of California Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation, Faculty Research Grant, 2004
- UCLA Faculty Career Development Award, 2004
- UCLA Academic Senate Faculty Research Grant, 2004
- APSA Political Communication Section's Paul Lazarsfeld Award for best paper on political communication presented at the 2002 APSA Conference, 2003
- UCLA Center for American Politics and Public Policy (CAPPP) Faculty Fellowship, 2003
- UCLA Academic Senate Faculty Research Grant, 2003
- UCLA Office of Instructional Development Instructional Improvement Grant, 2003

- APSA Presidency Research Group Founder's Award for best paper presented at 2000 APSA Conference, 2001
- UCLA International Study and Overseas Program (ISOP) Faculty Research Grant, 2001
- UCLA Center for American Politics and Public Policy (CAPPP) Faculty Fellowship, 2001
- UCLA Academic Senate Faculty Research Grant, 2001
- UCLA Academic Senate Faculty Research Grant, 2000
- University of California Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation, Dissertation Fellowship (1998-99 & 1999-2000)
- UCLA Center for International and Strategic Affairs Fellowship (1986-87)
- World Without War Council "Americans in World Affairs" Fellowship (1990-91)
- World Affairs Council of Northern California Award for Outstanding Performance & Contribution (1991)

INVITED LECTURES & MEETINGS

- Invited participant, conference on "The Future of Social Media and Democracy", Notre Dame University, Spring 2025.
- Invited Lecture, University of California, San Diego, Winter 2024
- Invited Session Chair, New Mayors Workshop on Mis/disinformation, Bloomberg Harvard City Leadership Initiative, Fall 2023
- Invited Lecture, Harvard ALI Fellows Workshop, Fall 2023
- Keynote Speaker, "Checking the Fact-checkers: A Global Perspective" conference, Hong Kong, Hong Kong Baptist University, Fall 2022
- Invited Speaker, MIT Graph Exploitation Symposium, Spring 2022
- Keynote Speaker, Misinformation and Global Communication Symposium, Shanghai International Studies University, China, Winter 2022
- Invited Speaker, Gates Foundation Global Media Partnership Convening on Battling Mis/Disinformation in the News, Winter 2021
- Invited Lecture, University of Maryland, Fall 2020
- Invited Speaker, HKS RAO Coffee Series, Harvard Kennedy School, Fall 2020
- Invited Lecture, Arizona State University, Summer 2020
- Invited Speaker, Dean's Democracy Roundtable Series, Harvard Kennedy School, Summer 2020
- Invited Speaker, Harvard Business School, Fall 2019
- Invited Lecture, Colorado School of Mines, Spring 2019
- Invited Speaker, Harvard Alumni Association, Long Island, NY, Winter 2019
- Invited Speaker, Harvard Data Science Initiative Conference, Harvard University, Fall 2018
- Invited Speaker, Atlantic Council's Global Forum on Strategic Communication (StratCom), Washington D.C., Fall 2018
- Invited Speaker, RAP (Red de Acción Política) Symposium on "The Crisis of Democracy and Capitalism in the New Era," Harvard University, Fall 2018
- Host and Invited Participant, Facebook "Summit on Misinformation," Harvard University, Spring 2018
- Invited Speaker, Stanford University, conference on "Social Media and Democracy: Identifying the Problems and Proposing Solutions," Spring 2018
- Invited Speaker, Mediapool-Franklin D. Roosevelt Foundation conference on "Fake News: Journalism and Disinformation," Helsinki, Finland, Winter 2018.
- Invited Speaker, Vermont Law Review Symposium on "Media, Law and Journalism: Protecting Democracy's Safeguards," Vermont Law School, Fall 2017.
- Invited presenter, Conference on Media, Casualties, and Public Opinion Toward War, Ohio State University, Spring 2017
- Invited Speaker, Academic Exchange retreat on Trends in the Middle East, Summer 2017
- Invited lecture, University of California, San Diego, Department of Political Science, International Relations Workshop Winter 2017

- Invited presenter at conference on "New Developments in the Study of Political Persuasion," sponsored by University of California, Irvine, Jack W. Peltason Center for the Study of Democracy and the Jack W. Peltason Chair of Democracy Studies, Winter 2016.
- Invited lecture, University of Virginia Department of Political Science, Fall 2015.
- Invited presenter at workshop on Communication, Conflict and Contention in the Digital Age," University of Konstanz, Germany, Fall 2015
- Invited lecture, Princeton University Department of Politics, Winter 2015
- Invited lecture, George Washington University Department of Political Science, Winter 2015.
- Invited lecturer, Institute of Social and Political Studies, State University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Fall 2014.
- Academic Exchange, Israel, Summer 2013.
- University of California, Davis, Department of Political Science, Spring 2012
- Duke University, Department of Political Science, Spring 2012
- Texas A&M International Relations workshop, Winter 2012.
- Workshop on Experimental Research. University of Gothenburg, Sweden, Winter 2012.
- Invited lecturer for Russell Program series on Politics and the Media at Presbyterian College, Fall 2011.
- Invited presenter in University of Pennsylvania School of Law Conference on "Regulatory Breakdown? The Crisis of Confidence in U.S. Regulation, Fall 2011.
- Invited to present seminar on media's role in American politics for State Department sponsored United States Foreign Policy Institute "Study of the United States" program for foreign academics, University of Florida, Gainesville, Summer 2011.
- Harvard Institute for Learning in Retirement Study Group, Guest Lecture, Spring 2011.
- University of Texas, Austin, Department of Political Science, Spring 2010.
- Invited participant, U.S. Department of Homeland Security Workshop on Public Perceptions of Emerging Security Technologies, 2010
- University of California, Berkeley Conference on "The American Presidency at War," 2008.
- University of Michigan, Ford School of Public Policy Global Policy Perspectives Symposia Series, Fall 2009.
- Carnegie-Knight Task Force on the Future of Journalism Education, Conference on the Future of Journalism, 2008.
- One Day University, Fall 2008
- Georgetown University, Public Policy Institute Seminar Series/American Politics Speaker Series, Fall 2008
- Harvard University, Political Psychology and Behavior Workshop, Fall 2008
- University of California, Berkeley, "The American Presidency at War" Conference, Fall 2008.
- Harvard University World Bank Workshop: The Role of the News Media in the Governance Reform Agenda, 2008
- Fordham University, Forum on American Politics, Spring 2008.
- UC Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation, Program on U.S. National Security, Winter 2008.
- Harvard University, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Executive Committee Dinner Workshop, Fall 2007.
- Princeton University Conference on Changing Media and Political Accountability, 2007
- Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government Women and Public Policy Seminar Series, Fall 2007
- Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government Shorenstein Center "Brown Bag" Seminar Series, Spring 2006
- Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government Faculty Seminar Series, Fall 2006
- Harvard University, Political Psychology and Behavior Workshop, Fall 2006
- University of Wisconsin, Madison, Department of Communication Colloquium, Fall 2006
- Stanford University, International Relations Workshop, Winter 2006.
- UC Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation, Program on U.S. National Security, Winter 2006.
- UCLA Extension, "Beyond the Headlines: The World Today" Lecture Series, Fall 2004
- Americans for Informed Democracy, "The People Speak: America's Role in the World" Speaker Series, Fall 2004
- UC Santa Barbara, Fall 2004

- UC San Diego, Center for US-Mexican Studies, Summer Seminar in US Studies, Summer 2004
- University of Southern California, School of International Relations, Spring 2004
- University of Tokyo, Winter 2004
- University of California, Irvine, Department of Politics, Fall 2003
- UCLA Center for International Relations, Winter 2003
- University of San Diego, Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice, Spring 2002
- UCLA Social Psychology Symposium, Winter 2001
- All-UC Conference on "Government and Governance in Economic History," 2001.
- UCLA Economic History meeting, Spring 2001.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS

- Faculty Chair, Democratic Politics & Institutions Area, Harvard Kennedy School, 2023-Present.
- Co-founder and Principal Investigator, The COVID States Project: A 50-State Survey (conducting monthly surveys of all 50 US states plus the District of Columbia around throughout the COVID-19 pandemic (www.covidstates.org), 2020-2024. [Re-branded as Civic Health and Institutions Project (CHIP50) in 2024]
- Co-founder, Publisher and Co-editor, Harvard Kennedy School Misinformation Review, 2020-Present.
- Co-founder, "Combatting Fake News" Google Group. (Network of over 700 scholars and practitioners researching problems associated with misinformation.)
- Member of North America Region Committee for *Social Science One* Commission on Public/Private Data Sharing, 2018-2020.
- Co-organizer/director, conference on "Combatting Fake News: An Agenda for Research and Action," February 17-18, 2017. Harvard University and Northeastern University.
- Consultant to National Academy of Sciences & Office of the Director of National Intelligence, 2017- 18.
- Chair, International Studies Association "Best Book" Award Committee, 2017-18.
- Member, APSA Carey McWilliams Award Committee for "major journalistic contribution to our understanding of politics," 2017.
- Consultant to U.S. Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy, U.S. Department of State, 2014-15 & 2024.
- Advisory Board Member, Teaching, Research, and International Policy (TRIP) Project, 2013-.
- Executive Committee Member, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, 2010-2014.
- Associate PI for TESS (Time-sharing Experiments for Social Sciences) special competition for Department of Homeland Security regarding public opinion on terrorism and counterterrorism activities, Winter 2011.
- Chair, APSA Voting, Elections, and Public Opinion Section Emerging Scholar Award Committee, 2011.
- Program co-Chair, 2011 International Studies Association Annual Convention.
- Faculty Chair, Harvard Public Diplomacy Collaborative, Harvard Kennedy School, 2008-
- Participant, American Political Science Association Task Force on U.S. Standing in the World, 2008- 09
- Editorial Board Member, *International Journal for Press/Politics,* 2008-
- Editorial Board Member, *Public Opinion Quarterly,* 2008-present
- Honorary Fellow, Amsterdam School of Communication Research (ASCoR), 2007
- Faculty Associate, Harvard University, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs
- Advisory Board Member, Media Tenor, Inc., 2007-
- Editorial Board Member, *Political Communication,* 2007-
- Chair, Political Communication Group Lazarsfeld "Best Paper" Award Committee, 2006
- Harvard University, Shorenstein Center Goldsmith Book Award Committee, 2007-2021
- APSA Presidency Research Group, Founder's Award "Best Paper" Committee, 2005
- APSA Political Communication Group Lazarsfeld "Best Paper" Award Committee, 2005
- Professional Association Memberships: American Political Science Association, Peace Science Society (International), International Studies Association, Midwest Political Science Association, American Association for Public Opinion Research, International Communication Association, International Political Science Association, Southern Political Science Association

COURSES TAUGHT

- Political Communication Breakdown (Harvard)
- Ph.D. Prospectus Design Workshop (Harvard)
- Ph.D. Research Design Workshop (Harvard)
- The Pandemic and the People (Harvard)
- International Politics and Policy (Harvard)
- Public Affairs Exercise Seminar (Harvard)
- Domestic Politics of Foreign Policy (UCLA, Harvard)
- Political Communication (UCSD, UCLA, Harvard)
- Mass Media and American Politics (UCLA, Harvard)
- Media, Public Opinion and Foreign Policy (UCLA, Harvard)
- Introduction to International Relations (UCLA, UCSD)
- American Politics and Policy (Harvard)

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

GAMA Corporation*, Washington, D.C.*
Senior Analyst (1991-95), **Consultant** (1996-2000): Designed and implemented strategic planning & training exercises, simulations and wargames. Topics included natural disaster preparedness, energy emergency planning, future political/economic developments in Russia and the CIS, Ballistic Missile Defense policy, Central America peace process, Japan's military planning trends, Lessons Learned from Desert Storm, testing the Federal Response Plan, Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD) Proliferation, and others.

World Affairs Council of Northern California, *San Francisco, CA.*
Great Decisions Program Coordinator (1990-91): Coordinated and implemented foreign policy educational series for Northern California; Developed related programs (e.g., lectures, seminars, discussion groups); Recruited speakers; Moderated radio-broadcast public lecture forums; Led discussion group for high school students; Promoted "Great Decisions" Program to high school and college students and educators; Implemented first-time discussion groups at over 40 area high schools (with over 800 participants); Trained local college students to facilitate high school discussion groups; Managed Program budget, marketing, sales and distribution of Program materials; Developed curriculum for adult-education "Great Decisions" course for Marin County.