

LIZ NORELL

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2008-present Vanderbilt University, Department of Political Science
Teaching Assistant
- 2006-2008 University of Texas at Dallas, Department of Political Science
Teaching Assistant
- 2006-2008 Dallas County Community College District
Adjunct Instructor, Government (2007-2008)
Adjunct Instructor, Developmental Writing (2006-2008)
- 2006-2007 *American Journal of Political Science*
Editorial Assistant
- 2000-2001 University of Arkansas, Department of Journalism
Graduate Assistant / Adjunct Instructor
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EDUCATION

- 2008-present Vanderbilt University
Ph.D. (in progress), Political Science
First field: American politics
Second field: Methodology
Third field: Comparative politics
- 2005-2008 University of Texas at Dallas
M.A., Political Science
Major focus: Institutions and Processes
- 2003-2005 Texas Woman's University
M.L.S., Library Science, May 2005
- 2000-2002 University of Arkansas
M.A., Journalism, December 2002
Thesis: Teaching Journalism with Technology: The Use of Technology in
Arkansas Journalism Programs
Secondary concentration (12 hours) in educational technology
- 1995-1998 George Washington University

B.A., Journalism, December 1998
University Honors Scholar

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Texas at Dallas

Political Parties & Interest Groups: Filled in for professor while out on medical leave. *Undergraduate course, fulfilled government major requirements.*

Dallas County Community College District

American Government: Constitution and Political Behavior, US and Texas.
Undergraduate course—required core course.

American Government: Political Institutions in US and Texas. *Undergraduate course—required core course.*

Developmental Writing: Final course in three-course remedial writing sequence.
Undergraduate course—required remedial course for those who did not pass writing placement test.

University of Arkansas

Fundamentals of Journalism. *Undergraduate seminar—required core course.*

PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

1. Party Democratization and Citizens: The Impact of Candidate Selection Rules on Voters. 2007. Council for European Studies meeting, Chicago.
2. Party Democratization and Citizens: The Impact of Candidate Selection Rules on Voters. 2007. Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans.
3. Are Voters Affected By Electoral Competition? Evidence From Three Western Democracies. 2007. Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas. Coauthored with Thomas J. Brunell, University of Texas at Dallas.
4. Inside the Black Box: The Politics of Presidential Advisory Commissions. 2007. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago.
5. Are Voters Affected By Electoral Competition? Evidence From Three Western Democracies. 2007. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago. Coauthored with Thomas J. Brunell, University of Texas at Dallas.

6. Who Decides? How U.S. Primary Election Rules Impact Voters. 2009. Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Vancouver, BC.
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SERVICE TO DEPARTMENT, SCHOOL, AND UNIVERSITY

2006 Judge, Mediation Tournament, University of Texas at Dallas
2004-2005 Staff Advisor, Habitat for Humanity Student Chapter, Texas Woman's University

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

American Political Science Association
Midwest Political Science Association
Southwest Political Science Association
Western Political Science Association
Southern Political Science Association