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Professional Employment

<i>Fall 2021 - present</i>	Professor of Political Science, North Central College, Naperville, Illinois
<i>Fall 2016 – Summer 2021</i>	Associate Professor of Political Science, North Central College, Naperville, Illinois
<i>Fall 2010 – Summer 2016</i>	Assistant Professor of Political Science, North Central College, Naperville, Illinois
<i>Fall 2007 – Summer 2010</i>	Instructor, Department of Political Science, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania

Education

<i>May 2007</i>	Ph.D., Political Science, Michigan State University Fields: American Politics, Congress, Quantitative Methods
<i>May 2004</i>	M.A. Political Science, Michigan State University
<i>May 2002</i>	B.S., Political Science, Bowling Green State University

Additional Training

<i>Summer 2003</i>	Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), University of Michigan
<i>Summer 2023</i>	ACUE Training and Microcredential in Fostering a Culture of Belonging

Publications

Chod, Suzanne M., et al. 2021. "Can We Get an Upgrade?: How Two College Campuses Are Building the Democracy We Aspire to Be" in *Teaching Civic Engagement Globally* eds. Elizabeth C. Matto, et al. Washington, D.C: American Political Science Association.

Chod, Suzanne M. 2020. "Actually, It's Doctor." *History News Network*.

Barker, Philip W., Suzanne M. Chod, and William J. Muck. 2020. "Political Science, Public Intellectualism, and Podcasting." *PS: Political Science & Politics* 53(2): 326-327.

Caliendo, Stephen M., Suzanne M. Chod, and William J. Muck. 2016. "Using Twitter to Increase Political Interest in Undergraduate Students." *The Journal of Political Science Education* 12(3): 282-301.

Chod, Suzanne M., William J. Muck, and Stephen M. Caliendo. 2015. *Technology and Civic Engagement in the College Classroom: Engaging the Unengaged*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

Caliendo, Stephen M., Suzanne M. Chod, William J. Muck, and Deron Schreck. 2015. "Social Networking as a Pedagogical Tool: Effect of Twitter Use on Interest and Efficacy in Introductory-Level American Government Courses." In *Technology and Civic Engagement in the College Classroom: Engaging the Unengaged*, eds. Suzanne M. Chod, William J. Muck, and Stephen M. Caliendo. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

Chod, Suzanne M. 2011. *Instructor's Resource Manual for The American Political System*. New York: W.W. Norton.

Crespin, Michael H., Suzanne M. Gold, and David W. Rohde. 2006. "Ideology, Electoral Incentives and Congressional Politics: The Republican House Class of 1994." *American Politics Research* 34(2): 135-158.

Conference Participation

Chair and Discussant, Panel on the Politics of Abortion at the 2025 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Discussant, Panel on Identities and Representation at the 2025 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Chair and Discussant, Panel on The Politics of Abortion at the 2023 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Chair, Roundtable on Podcasting in Political Science at the 2020 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Panelist, Roundtable on Promoting the Teaching of Civic Engagement at the 2020 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Panelist, Gender Challenges in Higher Education for the 2019 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

"Who Wore it Best? Victims of Accusations Vs. Victims of Assault: Perceptions of Justice for Accused and Accusers in cases of Sexual Assault" with Mara Berkland and Supna Jain.

Presented at 2019 Annual Conference of the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender.

Panelist, Gender Challenges in Higher Education at the 2019 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Panelist, Teaching Civic Engagement in the Classroom at the 2019 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Panelist, Civic Engagement, Citizenship, and Democracy at the 2016 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Panelist, Roundtable on Civic Engagement in the Classroom at the 2016 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“The University Structure and Political Networks: Clues into why College Campuses Affect Political Participation” with Hillary C. Shulman. Presented at the 2015 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Panelist, Roundtable on Balancing Teaching and Research at the 2015 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Discussant at the Political Institutions and Public Choice Program 20th Anniversary Conference at Duke University, May 2015.

“If We Can't Reach 'EM, Maybe Mayor @Corybooker Can: Using Twitter to Increase Political Interest Among Introduction to American Government Students” presented at the 2013 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Chair and Discussant, Panel Simulations Promoting Learning & Engagement at the 2013 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Chair, Panel Campaign Donations and Congressional Politics at the 2013 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“Building a Learning Community Beyond the Classroom: Using Twitter to Engage Students in Political Science,” with Stephen Maynard Caliendo and William Muck. Presented at the 2013 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Chair, Lawmaking and Gridlock at 2013 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Discussant, The Polarized Presidency at 2013 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“Toeing the Constituency Line: Issue Salience and Roll-Call Behavior in the House of Representatives.” Presented at the 2013 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“When You Hit the Poles, You Win at the Polls: Polarization, Issue Salience, and House Elections,” with Kathleen Tite. Presented at the 2012 Illinois Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“Unnecessary or Insufficient? QCA and Alternative Methods for Boolean Inference,” with Burt L. Monroe. Presented at the 2009 Society for Political Methodology Annual Meeting.

“Is it Our Job? The Role of the United States in Global Health Policy.” Presented at the 2009 Global Health Conference.

“The Politics of Global Health: How the Presidential Candidates Stack Up.” Presented at the 2008 Global Health Conference.

“Evolving Political Machines: The Christian Right as the New Tammany Hall,” with Chelsea L. Haring. Presented at the 2006 Annual Midwest Political Science Annual Meeting.

“Are Voters and Their Representatives a Match Made in Heaven?” Presented at the 2006 Annual Midwest Political Science Annual Meeting.

“Volatility of Approval and Endogenous Election Timing: Early Elections in the United Kingdom,” with Gregory Robinson. Presented at the 2005 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“Volatility of Approval and the Clinton Administration: Applying a Comparative Theory to the American Case,” with Gregory Robinson. Presented at the 2005 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“Ideology, Electoral Incentives and Congressional Politics,” with Michael H. Crespin and David W. Rohde. Presented at the 2004 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

Academic Honors and Grants

<i>Fall 2023 – 2028</i>	Ruge Teaching Fellowship
<i>Summer 2022</i>	North Central College Faculty Professional Development Grant
<i>Spring 2021</i>	North Central College Professional Semester
<i>Fall 2020</i>	Award for Outstanding Service by a Senior Faculty Member
<i>Spring 2018</i>	Award for Outstanding Teaching and Mentoring by a Senior Faculty Member

<i>Winter 2014</i>	North Central College Junior Faculty Enhancement Grant
<i>Summer 2012</i>	North Central College Faculty Professional Development Grant
<i>Summer 2011</i>	North Central College Faculty Professional Development Grant

North Central College and Department Service

Director, Center for Social Impact (Fall 2024- present)

Coordinator, Gender and Sexuality Studies (Summer 2015 – present)

Director, Interdisciplinary Connections Program (Fall 2022 – Summer 2024)

Member, President’s Task Force on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (Fall 2019 – Fall 2022)

Member, Campus Climate Survey Group (Fall 2020 – Spring 2024)

Chair, Academic Programs and Policies Committee (Fall 2018 – Spring 2020)

Chair, General Education Implementation Committee (Fall 2017 – Summer 2018)

College of Arts and Sciences Representative to Academic Programs and Procedures Committee (Fall 2016 – Spring 2018)

Grievance Panel (Fall 2017 –Spring 2018; Fall 2020 – Spring 2022)

Chair, College of Arts and Sciences Dean Evaluation Committee (2017-18 academic year)

Human Thought and Behavior Divisional Representative to Academic Programs and Procedures Committee (2014 – Spring 2016)

Chair, Faculty Elections Committee (Fall 2011 – Spring 2015)

Student Persistence and Retention Committee (Fall 2013– Spring 2016)

Co-chair Leadership, Ethics, and Values Women’s Leadership Retreat (2013 – 2019)

Faculty Adviser for Pi Sigma Alpha (2010 – present)

Social Science General Education Assessment Committee (2011 – 2014)

Rall Symposium Faculty Sponsor (2011 - present)

National Conference on Undergraduate Research Faculty Sponsor (2014 – present)

Student Thesis Director (2014 - present)

Student Thesis Second Reader (2011-12, 2018-2020, 2021)

TIP Talks (2013 – present)

Selected Professional Activities

<i>Ongoing</i>	Regular guest on WGN News, ABC 7 News, Fox32 News, CBS 2 and CBS Stream
<i>Ongoing</i>	Regular guest on WCPT radio
<i>Ongoing</i>	Regular guest on Singapore Radio 89.3FM Breakfast Show
<i>Ongoing</i>	Regularly interviewed for and quoted in articles in WalletHub
<i>Ongoing</i>	Regularly interviewed for and quoted in articles in <i>The 19th</i>
<i>April 2023, 2025</i>	Roundtable co-host providing commentary on NCTV17 coverage of local election results
<i>October 30, 2024</i>	Interviewed on Canadian Broadcasting News Network Morning Show
<i>July 10, 2020</i>	Guest on French podcast, <i>Twenty Twenty: Une Folle Année Américaine</i>
<i>2016 – 2020</i>	Regular guest on <i>Barstool Politics</i> podcast
<i>February 27, 2020</i>	Quoted in <i>The New York Times</i> article “A Brokered Convention: Here’s What’s Happened Before”
<i>January 8, 2018</i>	Guest on “Minnesota Public Radio News with Kerri Miller”
<i>June 10, 2016</i>	Quoted in in <i>The Naperville Sun</i> article “2016 campaign fun for political scientists”
<i>May 10, 2016</i>	Quoted in <i>Bustle</i> article “Hillary Clinton’s Relationship with #NeverTrump Republicans is Complicated”
<i>2015-2016</i>	Regular contributor on WDCB radio
<i>Winter 2015</i>	Three stories on NCTV17 about local elections

<i>October 19, 2012</i>	Interviewed for and appeared in Naperville News 17 story about the second 2012 presidential debate
<i>April 22, 2008</i>	Appeared on CSPAN's "Pennsylvania Primary Election Night Coverage" to answer questions and take phone calls
<i>March 18, 2008</i>	Reaction to Senator Obama's speech on race for <i>Time Magazine</i>