

Curriculum Vita

Suzanne M. Chod

Office Address:

Department of Political Science
North Central College
30 N. Brainard Street
Naperville, IL 60540
Phone: 630-637-5245 (Office)
Email: smchod@noctrl.edu

Professional Employment

<i>Fall 2010 – present</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 Research Methods
<i>May 2004</i>	M.A. Political Science, Michigan State University
<i>May 2002</i>	B.S., <i>magna cum laude</i> , Political Science, Bowling Green State University

Additional Training

<i>May – July 2003</i>	Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), University of Michigan
------------------------	----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

Publications

- 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.
- Caliendo, Stephen M., Suzanne M. Chod, and William J. Muck. 2015. "Using Twitter to Increase Political Interest in Undergraduate Students." *The Journal of Political Science Education*. (forthcoming May 2016)
- Shulman, Hillary C., and Suzanne M. Chod. "The Importance of Social Context: Identifying Factors that Associate with College Student Political Participation" (Under review at *Political Communication*)
- 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: 135-158.

Conference Participation

- "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 Conference.
- "Balancing Teaching and Research" roundtable presentation at the 2015 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL.
- 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 Conference.

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

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

“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 Conference.

Chair, Panel Lawmaking and Gridlock at 2013 Southern Political Science Association Conference.

Discussant, Panel The Polarized Presidency at 2013 Southern Political Science Association Conference.

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

“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 Conference.

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

“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 Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

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

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

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

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

Working Papers

“The University Structure and Political Networks: Clues into why College Campuses Affect Political Participation” with Hillary C. Shulman

“Toeing the Constituency Line: Issue Salience and Roll-Call Behavior in the House of Representatives”

“When You Hit the Poles, You Win at the Polls: Polarization, Issue Salience, and House Elections”

“Extremity and Incongruence: The Impact of Party and District Preference on House Elections”

Academic Honors and Grants

<i>Winter 2014</i>	North Central College Junior Faculty Enhancement Program Grant
<i>Summer 2012</i>	North Central College Faculty Professional Development Grant
<i>Summer 2011</i>	North Central College Faculty Professional Development Grant
<i>Summer 2003</i>	Committee on Institutional Cooperation (CIC) Traveling Scholar

Fellowships

<i>2006 – 2007</i>	Michigan State University Dissertation Completion Fellowship
<i>2005 – 2006</i>	Earhart Fellowship
<i>2002 – 2005</i>	Political Institutions and Public Choice Fellow

College and Department Service

North Central College	Coordinator, Gender and Women’s Studies (Summer 2015 – present) Human Thought and Behavior Divisional Representative to Academic Programs and Procedures Committee (2014-present)
-----------------------	-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

Chair, Faculty Elections Committee
(2011 – Fall 2015)
Student Persistence and Retention Committee
(2013– present)
Subcommittee on Blended/Hybrid and Online
Learning (Spring 2015 – present)
Instructional Design Search Committee
(Summer/Fall 2015)
Richter Committee member (2012 – 2014)
Co-chair Leadership, Ethics, and Values Women’s
Leadership Retreat (2013 – present)
Faculty Adviser for Pi Sigma Alpha
(2010 – present)
Faculty Adviser for North Central Political Activists
(2011 –2013)
Social Science General Education Assessment
Committee (2011 – 2014)
Organic Chemistry Search Committee Member
(Winter 2014)
Developmental Biology Search Committee Member
(Winter 2013)
Department Meta-Assessment (Fall 2012)
Political Science Program Review (Fall 2012)
Rall Symposium Faculty Sponsor
(2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015)
Political Science Search Committee Member
(Winter 2011 and Winter 2015)
Student Thesis Director (2014, 2015)
Student Thesis Second Reader (2011)
TIP Talks (2013 – present)

Selected Professional Activities

<i>Fall 2015</i>	Presentation at Monarch Landing on American economic productivity
<i>Fall 2015</i>	Interviewed for and quoted in Women’s Leadership Retreat story in <i>North Central NOW</i>
<i>Fall 2015</i>	Article Reviewer for <i>Justice System Journal</i>

<i>August 10-11, 2015</i>	Two-part interview WDCB radio about the GOP presidential debate and primary season
<i>March 24, 2015</i>	Interview on WDCB radio about the nuclear deal between the United States and Iran
<i>March 18, 2015</i>	Interview on WDCB radio about Aaron Schock's resignation
<i>Winter 2015</i>	Three stories on NCTV17 about local elections
<i>Fall 2014</i>	Presentation at Monarch Landing on the 2014 Midterm Elections
<i>Winter 2013</i>	Article reviewer for <i>The American Political Science Review</i>
<i>Winter 2013</i>	Interviewed for and quoted in "LEV's retreat event," in <i>North Central Chronicle</i>
<i>October 19, 2012</i>	Interviewed for and appeared in Naperville News 17 story about the second presidential debate
<i>Spring 2012</i>	Interviewed for and quoted in "Political Science Engages Social Media," in <i>North Central NOW</i>
<i>March 21, 2012</i>	Appeared on Chicago's CBS 2 Morning Show to answer questions and provide commentary on the Illinois Republican presidential primary as well as local races
<i>January 25, 2012</i>	Interviewed for and quoted in "Students to discuss Occupy Movement" in <i>North Central Chronicle</i>
<i>February 2, 2010</i>	Interviewed for and quoted in "Professors refute liberal study" in <i>The Daily Collegian</i>
<i>February 2, 2009</i>	Interviewed for and quoted in "Obama's boost presidential image with style" in <i>The Daily Collegian</i>
<i>April 22, 2008</i>	Appeared on CSPAN's Pennsylvania Primary Election Night Coverage to answer questions and take phone calls
<i>March 8, 2008</i>	Contributed to a <i>Time Magazine</i> online article regarding Senator Obama's speech on race
<i>February 6, 2008</i>	Interviewed for and quoted in "Primary Power" in <i>The Daily Collegian</i>

Professional Memberships

American Political Science Association
Midwest Political Science Association