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The Institution for Social and Policy Studies (ISPS) strives to facilitate interdisciplinary inquiry in the social sciences and research into important public policy arenas. Recognizing that important social problems cannot be studied adequately by a single discipline, the Yale Corporation established the Institution for Social and Policy Studies in 1968 in order to stimulate interdisciplinary collaboration within the University. Faculty and students from many departments in the Faculty of Arts and Sciences and from Yale’s graduate and professional schools are involved in a variety of activities. These include numerous interdisciplinary faculty seminars, research publications, postdoctoral programs, and the undergraduate major in Ethics, Politics, and Economics. Through these activities, ISPS seeks to shape public policies of local, national, and international significance.
Major Programs and Activities at ISPS

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

Program in Ethics, Politics, and Economics

The Program in Ethics, Politics, and Economics (EPE) sponsors interdisciplinary teaching and research in the social sciences and humanities at Yale. The program was created in the belief that trends toward specialized fields and subdisciplines should not displace attempts to integrate empirical, analytical, and normative concerns that range over the different disciplines of the modern university. The program is home to the undergraduate major in Ethics, Politics, and Economics, which involves faculty from anthropology, economics, law, management, philosophy, political science, and sociology. The program also sponsors a variety of conferences, workshops, publications, and lectures—most notably the Castle Lectures, which have been delivered by, among others, Abba Eban, Paul Tsongas, Lester Thurow, Michael Walzer, Sissela Bok, Justice Richard Goldstone, Martha Nussbaum, Robert Dahl, Onora O’Neill (Newnham College, Cambridge University), Richard Sennett, and, in 2005, Francis Fukuyama. The program is also home to the Mars and Orrick visiting professorships. Visitors supported by these professorships have included Joseph Raz (Oxford), John Dunn (Cambridge), Boris Kapustin (Moscow School of Social and Economic Sciences), John Gray (Oxford), Brian Barry (London School of Economics), Joan Tronto (Hunter College), Philippe Van Parijs (Université Catholique de Louvain), Amelie Rorty (Brandeis University), Nicola Lacey (London School of Economics), and David Soskice (Duke University and Wissenschaftszentrum in Berlin). The program administers the George H. Hume Fund, which provides endowment support for the core EPE courses; the Jonathan Clark Endowment, which supports research on EPE senior essay projects during the summer between the junior and senior years; the Litowitz Fund, which sponsors teaching in the major as well as sponsoring the Litowitz Lecture on religion and public policy; and the Jerome Medalie ’45 Endowment, which supports undergraduate research on issues pertaining to ethics and technology. EPE is directed by Seyla Benhabib, Eugene Meyer Professor of Political Science and Philosophy.

For more information on the Program in Ethics, Politics, and Economics, contact Kellianne Farnham, Registrar, PO Box 208343, New Haven CT 06520-8343 (203.436.3699) or www.yale.edu/epe.
YALE UNIVERSITY INTERDISCIPLINARY BIOETHICS PROJECT

The Yale Interdisciplinary Bioethics Project was initiated in the summer of 1998 by ISPS. Its astonishing growth since then testifies to the readiness of Yale University for such a project and to the need for it. Begun as an Interdisciplinary Bioethics Committee, within two years it expanded to its present status as a project. In the near future we expect this flourishing program to mature as a center. Under the guidance of Robert J. Levine and Margaret Farley, co-chairs, and its Executive Committee, the project has articulated a mission that incorporates intra-Yale aims for coordinating interdisciplinary research and significantly supplementing undergraduate and graduate curricular offerings. The aims of the project also reach beyond Yale to the general development of the discipline of bioethics and sharing the University’s commitment to serve the local, national, and international communities in addressing bioethical questions of urgent importance.

The Executive Committee of this Bioethics Project has operated with the conviction that Yale offers a unique opportunity for pursuing the questions of bioethics. It is distinctive among comparable universities in that it encompasses professional schools of Medicine, Nursing, Law, Divinity, Forestry & Environmental Studies, and Management, as well as departments of Epidemiology and Public Health, Philosophy, Religious Studies, natural and social sciences, and the humanities. Moreover, Yale has a remarkable history of interdisciplinary work, one in which faculty and students in the many parts of the University have been engaged in issues of bioethics for a long time. Coordinating this work has added to the project’s energy and focus.

The past six years have seen an extraordinary number of activities sponsored or cosponsored by the Interdisciplinary Bioethics Project. These include eight public symposia (on such topics as stem cell research and the future of therapeutic cloning, the legacy of Agent Orange, and averting hostile biotechnology); numerous faculty seminars and ongoing study groups (e.g., on genetically modified plants, disabilities, end-of-life issues, distribution justice in health care, aging, and risk assessment); public lecture series (bringing national and international leaders into conversation with Yale faculty and students); three international conferences (on the biological, social, industrial, and cultural history of the chicken; the future of rice biotechnology; and the interface of gender, globalization, and health), and highly subscribed graduate and undergraduate courses offered by visiting professors of bioethics Albert R. Jonsen, William F. May, Celia B. Fisher, and David H. Smith.

We are delighted that J. Baird Callicott, Professor of Philosophy and Religion Studies at the University of North Texas, and Samuel Gorovitz, Professor of Philosophy and Public Administration at Syracuse University, have agreed to be the project’s visiting bioethicists for the academic year 2004–2005.
In 2003, the project was awarded a five-year, $2.1 million grant by the Patrick and Catherine Weldon Donaghue Medical Research Foundation to establish the Donaghue Initiative in Biomedical and Behavioral Research Ethics, under the directorship of Robert J. Levine. The purpose of the initiative is to promote study of the ethical aspects and implications of human subjects research. Since its inception, the initiative has established an array of interdisciplinary programs, including a working group examining the ethics of research with end-of-life patients, a discussion group devoted to writing and discussing cases in research ethics, and a statewide network of IRBs. The initiative also supports a yearly Visiting Scholarship in Research Ethics and funds projects that examine an ethical problem in the conduct or institutional review of human subjects research. Chalmers C. Clark, coming to us from the Institute for Ethics at the American Medical Association, was the initiative’s visiting scholar during 2003–2004. We are pleased to welcome Jacqueline R. Fox, a former Greenwall Fellow and Faculty Associate at Johns Hopkins, as the visiting scholar for 2004–2005.

Plans for the 2004–2005 academic year include several symposia, on the following topics: (1) honoring Jay Katz’s accomplishments in the field of bioethics; (2) the role of presidential advisory bodies on bioethics; and (3) policy changes to improve the well-being of American children.

For more information on bioethics at Yale, contact Carol Pollard at 203.432.6188 or see the project’s Web site at www.yale.edu/bioethics.

INTERDISCIPLINARY INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS PROGRAM

In light of the importance of statistical reasoning for policy analysis and decision making, ISPS helped develop an interdisciplinary introduction to statistics in 1998. The course assumes no mathematical background — in particular, no calculus — and caters to students who are not mathematically inclined but who have decided they want to learn key concepts of probability and inference within the span of one term. The course is therefore designed to present the most useful and essential material. A two-pronged approach accommodates students from widely varying fields. Each course in the STAT 101a–106a series provides a basic introduction to statistics, including numerical and graphical summaries of data, probability, hypothesis testing, confidence intervals, and regression. Each course focuses on applications to a particular field of study and is taught jointly by two instructors, one specializing in statistics and the other in the relevant area of application. The first seven weeks of classes are attended by all students together, as general concepts and methods of statistics are developed. The remaining weeks are divided into field-specific sections that develop the concepts with examples and applications. Computers are used for data analysis. These courses are alternatives; they do not form a sequence and only one may be taken for credit. There are no prerequisites beyond high school algebra; the courses may not be taken after STAT 100b. This curriculum has seen enrollments grow steadily in recent years amid strong evaluations of its instructors.
POSTDOCTORAL PROGRAMS

Program in Agrarian Studies

James Scott, Director of the Program in Agrarian Studies

The Program in Agrarian Studies is an experimental, interdisciplinary initiative involving faculty and graduate students from anthropology, history, political science, sociology, economics, international relations, the Law School, and the School of Forestry & Environmental Studies. The aim is to reinvigorate the analysis of agrarian issues with the fresh air of popular knowledge about lived experience—e.g., poverty, subsistence, cultivation, ecology, justice, art, custom, law, property, ritual life, cooperation, and state action. The interdisciplinary premise of the program is that the study of the Third World must never be separated from the study of the West, nor the humanities separated from the social sciences. The program sponsors a lively weekly colloquium organized around an annual theme. Specialists are invited from throughout the world. A team-taught interdisciplinary graduate seminar titled Agrarian Societies: Culture, Power, History, and Development is offered in the fall term of each year. The program also sponsors four to six postdoctoral fellows from various countries, representing disciplines such as anthropology, history, economics, and sociology. Interdisciplinary graduate student colloquia and small research grants for graduate work on agrarian topics are also funded. Agrarian Studies is supported by funds provided by Cargill, the Education Foundation of America, and Yale University. It is directed by James Scott, Sterling Professor of Political Science and Anthropology. The program is also affiliated with the Center for International and Area Studies.

For more information on the work of the Program in Agrarian Studies, call or write to the program’s coordinator, Kay Mansfield, PO Box 208300, New Haven CT 06520-8300 (203.432.9833) or www.yale.edu/agrarianstudies/real/ashome.html.

Center for the Study of American Politics

The Center for the Study of American Politics was created to promote the work of scholars in the field of American politics. Using a broad set of methodological approaches and enjoying the advantages of deep knowledge of American politics, Americanists have made signal contributions to our understanding of political institutions and behavior. The Yale Center for the Study of American Politics is dedicated to furthering this intellectual tradition.

In order to achieve these goals, the center sponsors and supports a number of activities:
• Inviting several distinguished scholars and postdoctoral students to spend a year at the center while pursuing their own research and participating in the activities of the center.

• Sponsoring conferences on subject areas of interest to affiliated faculty in American politics.

• Sponsoring a weekly lunchtime research workshop featuring current American political science and public policy research by leading scholars in the field, including distinguished faculty from other institutions, postdoctoral fellows of the center, and Ph.D. candidates at Yale.

• Sponsoring short courses (typically two to three days) on advanced subjects of special interest to affiliated faculty.

In this way, the Center for the Study of American Politics strives to make important contributions to research and teaching in the field of American politics while enhancing the academic environment for students and faculty at Yale. More information on the center can be obtained from Pamela Greene at 432.3052 or www.yale.edu/csap.

RESEARCH PROGRAMS

Field Experiments at ISPS

One of the hallmarks of ISPS is its commitment to field experimentation. Unlike laboratory experiments, field experiments take place in real-world settings: political campaigns, schools, police agencies, and the like. For example, scholars at ISPS have conducted experiments on voter mobilization and persuasion involving millions of subjects in more than a dozen states; see the Web site, www.yale.edu/isps/publications. Other field experiments are currently under way to study the effects of school choice on student performance, the effects of various policies on the behavior of the mentally ill homeless, and the effects of lottery winnings on subsequent social and psychological outcomes. In each case, treatment and control groups are assigned at random, enabling researchers to draw precise inferences about cause and effect.

ISPS Summer Program: Designing, Conducting, and Analyzing Field Experiments

Established in 2001, the ISPS Summer Program: Designing, Conducting, and Analyzing Field Experiments continues to move forward this year, joining forces with the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), a unit of the Institute for Social Research at the University of Michigan. This short course aims to accomplish the following: (1) explain why experiments are valuable tools for social science and program evaluation; (2) examine in-depth
examples of how field experiments are designed, executed, and analyzed; and (3) explore and develop research ideas through discussion with peers and specialists.

Experiments enable social scientists to draw valid inferences about cause and effect. The essential ingredient of experimentation is random assignment of people to treatment and control groups. Randomization ensures that these groups differ solely due to chance. So long as the experiment involves an ample number of subjects, the role of chance becomes minimal; the treatment and control conditions become virtually identical. These equivalent groups are then presented with different treatments. Since preexisting differences have been eliminated, the different responses of the treatment and control groups may be attributed to the influence of the treatment. Experiments correct many of the deficiencies of observational, or nonexperimental, data. Random assignment enables researchers to disentangle the complex causal interplay among variables. It also affords the researcher much more control over what that treatment is and how accurately it is measured. There are, of course, practical and ethical limits to the sorts of experiments that can be performed in social science. Nevertheless, the range of applications remains very large.

This course discusses a wide array of exemplary experiments in the areas of political science, advertising, public policy, health, and criminal justice. And the workshop concentrates on field experiments. Unlike laboratory experiments, field experiments take place in real-world settings: political campaigns, schools, police agencies, and the like. Participants should have a background in statistics, up to and including multiple regression and analysis of variance. Enrollment in this course is limited.

For inquiries about the program, please contact the Director, Donald Green, telephone: 203.432.3234; fax: 203.432.3296; e-mail: isps@yale.edu. Additional information is also available at the Institution for Social and Policy Studies Web site: www.yale.edu/isps/experimental.

SEMINAR PROGRAM FOR 2004–2006

Interdisciplinary seminars have been an important component of ISPS’s programmatic activity throughout its history. These seminars generally involve several faculty members and a larger number of graduate and professional students from a variety of disciplines, departments, and schools. The history of some of the seminars goes back a decade or more; others are new this year. The format of each ISPS Interdisciplinary Seminar depends upon the interests of its members. Seminars typically involve visiting speakers, discussion of published and unpublished papers, and presentation of seminar participants’ own work. Frequency varies from weekly to monthly.

The following is a list of the topics and organizers of ISPS Seminars for 2004–2006; most are open to interested members of the Yale community. All seminars are held at 77 Prospect Street (corner of Prospect and Trumbull streets)
unless otherwise noted. Attendance at some seminars requires advance notice, and some distribute papers in advance. Lunch is provided at most seminars. For information, telephone Pamela Greene at 203.432.3052 or visit our Web site at www.yale.edu/isps/seminars.

**American Politics.** Each seminar features a presentation of current political science research by leading scholars in the field, including distinguished faculty from other institutions, postdoctoral fellows of the Center for the Study of American Politics, and Ph.D. candidates at Yale. The seminar also cosponsors events with the Leitner Political Economy Seminar Series and the ISPS Politics of Public Policy Seminar. *Organizer: Gregory Huber, Political Science.*

**Bioethics and Public Policy.** Inaugurated in 1994, this seminar meets throughout the academic year to explore problems in the evolving field of bioethics. The program includes topics in medical, genetic, and environmental ethics, as well as several sessions on the ethics of human subjects research, supported by the Donaghue Initiative in Biomedical and Behavioral Research Ethics. In collaboration with the Joseph Slifka Center, the seminar series aims to foster community dialogue by offering an evening lecture open to the public. In the 2005–2006 academic year, the seminar series plans to reach out to students and the New Haven community by offering four lectures on campus and two at the New Haven Public Library. *Organizer: Julius Landwirth, Associate Director, Institution for Social and Policy Studies.* For more information, please visit www.yale.edu/bioethics/bppss.

**Bioethics Faculty Workshop.** The Bioethics Faculty Workshop provides a place for Yale faculty to engage in interdisciplinary bioethical discussion. In some cases, discussion centers on work in progress. A faculty member begins the session with an overview of a bioethical issue; discussion and comments by other faculty members and graduate students then ensue. This program aims to expose faculty members to different disciplines’ ways of viewing bioethical issues while broadening awareness of the rich and diverse resources available at Yale. Faculty, staff, students, and community members are welcome. For more information, please visit www.yale.edu/bioethics/faculty_workshop.

**Interdisciplinary Risk Assessment Forum.** Risk assessment names an organized process used to describe and estimate the likelihood of adverse health outcomes from exposures to chemicals and physical agents. The results yield seemingly objective statements about what should be considered “adverse” or “unsafe.” However, a system of subjective, societal valuations underlies its apparently scientific foundations. Such merging of objective scientific analyses and subjective social valuations raises important ethical and political concerns.

The Interdisciplinary Risk Assessment Forum will provide an opportunity to explore those concerns. A select group of outside speakers, each prominent in areas related to risk assessment, will participate in our monthly luncheon forum
to discuss their perceptions and understanding of the interface of society and science in risk assessment, risk analysis, and risk management. Invited speakers will also present a more formal lecture later that day at one of the sponsoring Yale schools. For more information, please see www.yale.edu/bioethics/risk.

Political Theory Workshop. The Political Theory Workshop provides an informal, interdisciplinary forum for the presentation of work in progress. The workshop features papers by Yale faculty members, graduate students, and visiting scholars in the fields of political philosophy, social theory, ethics, intellectual history, and others. Papers are distributed in advance and participants come prepared to discuss the paper in detail. Organizer: Steven Smith, Political Science, telephone: 203.432.0524.

Politics of Public Policy. This series bridges political science and policy analysis. Its aim is to explore how politics shapes important areas of domestic public policy and how public policy, in turn, shapes important aspects of domestic politics. Distinguished scholars interested in these intertwined issues present diverse, cutting-edge research, ranging from cross-national and historical investigations to analyses of current policy debates. Organizer: Jacob S. Hacker, Political Science, telephone: 203.432.5554.

Program in Agrarian Studies Colloquium Series. This weekly colloquium series is organized around an annual theme and is the core of the Agrarian Studies Program. Invited specialists send papers in advance that are the focus of an organized discussion by the faculty and graduate students associated with the colloquium. Organizer: James Scott, Political Science and Anthropology. Fridays, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Web site: www.yale.edu/agrarianstudies/real/ashome.

Program on Nonprofit Organizations (PONPO). PONPO reopens this year with a series of presentations and discussions on international and indigenous non-governmental organizations. Its main objective is to “map” current research in this field, and the needs and opportunities for further research. To that end we seek, first, to gain a greater understanding of the pertinent research taking place at the many different schools of Yale. Second, we broaden the picture to include the field as a whole, inviting researchers from outside Yale to share their work, and the work of their institutions generally, with the Yale community. The PONPO seminar series meets monthly on Tuesdays from 12 to 1:30 p.m. Organizer: Rebecca A. Martin, Administrative Director, PONPO. For more information, contact ponpo@yale.edu, telephone 203.432.7811, or http://ponpo.som.yale.edu/curr.

Yale AIDS Colloquium Series (YACS). Now in its fourteenth year, the Yale AIDS Colloquium Series (YACS), cosponsored by the Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS (CIRA) and Yale’s Institution for Social and Policy Studies, brings researchers, policymakers, advocates, representatives from nonprofit organizations, and others to the Yale campus to discuss topics in AIDS research.
and policy. The audience that attends, typically fifteen to twenty-five in number, consists of a mixture of graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, researchers, providers, and members of the local community, and is generally quite knowledgeable on HIV/AIDS issues. At the seminars the speakers usually speak for 45 to 60 minutes with about 30 to 45 minutes of discussion. The seminar is relatively informal and is followed by refreshments, further informal discussions, and socializing. The Yale AIDS Colloquium Series usually meets monthly on Thursdays from 4:15 to 5:45 p.m. either at 40 Temple Street, Suite 1B or at 77 Prospect Street in the lower-level conference room. Organizer: Amy Smoyer, Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS, Epidemiology and Public Health, telephone 203.764.8454, or http://cira.med.yale.edu/events/yacs.

PUBLICATIONS

ISPS Politics & Policy Book Series

The distinguishing feature of the ISPS Politics & Policy Book Series is the scholarly depth and originality of each volume. Unlike most policy books, which focus narrowly on specific social problems and public laws, the books in the ISPS series strive to place laws and lawmaking in historical and comparative perspective. The authors advance bold and memorable arguments about topics of profound significance. Readers will find a range of scholarly approaches—some qualitative, others quantitative—that together reflect the broad, multidisciplinary character of ISPS.


For anyone pondering a career in medicine or a related health profession, The Yale Guide to Careers in Medicine and the Health Professions is an essential resource. More than seventy professionals in the health field offer firsthand accounts of how and why they made their career choices and what the journey has been like.

The Kaplan and Brookmeyer book addresses the quantitative evaluation of HIV prevention programs worldwide, assessing for the first time several different quantitative methods of evaluation.

In City, Douglas Rae depicts the features that contributed most to city life in the early “urbanist” decades of the twentieth century. Rae’s subject is New Haven, Connecticut, but the lessons he draws apply to many American cities.

In Race, Poverty, and Domestic Policy, C. Michael Henry addresses the question, what explains the continuing hardship of so many blacks in American society? The contributors analyze the long, complex structural and environmental
causes of discrimination and the effects on African Americans—the impact of poverty, poor health, poor schools, poor housing, poor neighborhoods, and few job opportunities—and demonstrate how multiple causes reinforce each other and condemn blacks to positions of inferiority and poverty.

Additional books in the series include:


Requests for more information about the ISPS Book Series or any of the ISPS programs should be addressed to the Director’s Office, PO Box 208209 (77 Prospect Street), New Haven CT 06520-8209; telephone, 203.432.3234; e-mail, isps@yale.edu.

**ISPS Journal**

The year 1998 marked the publication of Volume I of our ISPS Journal, which has been produced every other year and is used both to highlight our scholars’ publications and as a development piece for foundations and interested donors. Volume I, and our follow-up Volumes II, III, and IV, offer an inside look at ISPS fellows and their new books.

The selected books span a broad spectrum of policy concerns and perspectives. Some focus on domestic issues; others on cross-national. Some address contemporary problems; others historical. Some are quantitative; others qualitative. All have won acclaim and will greatly shape the way others think about these problems in years ahead. A characteristic common to all works chosen is the attempt to link academic research to policy problems of pressing concern.
How we manage children’s health risks, understand incentives in complex institutions, or interpret historical struggles over ethnic diversity represents problems that are at once topical and enduring. Authors were chosen because their works represent the aspirations of ISPS. For three decades, ISPS has been home to scholars and practitioners who seek to inform contemporary policy debates by stepping back and gathering insights from a wide array of perspectives.

Each of the books leavens its analysis with insights drawn from history, sociology, economics, and political science. The result is scholarship that alters fundamentally the way in which we understand the policy problems before us.


**The Globalist: Yale College Journal of International Affairs**

*The Globalist* is a quarterly publication that was launched in 2001 to provide a forum for Yale undergraduates to write and read about international affairs. Themes of recent issues include people trafficking, successionist movements, gay rights, and international water politics. *The Globalist* welcomes article submissions covering a wide range of topics in international affairs. More information can be obtained by writing to christopher.sinay@yale.edu.

**The Politic: Yale College’s Journal of Politics**

Inspired by the need for undergraduate participation in debates about the 2000 Presidential election, several Yale College students inaugurated *The Politic* in spring 2001 as a means of keeping the greater Yale community informed about the most important local, national, and global events in the political world. Published semiannually, *The Politic* features articles and commentary from students, professors, and prominent national politicians. *The Politic* is able to empower stu-
dents by providing them access to the experience and insights of some of the most prominent political leaders and thinkers of our time. Building upon the rich political heritage of Yale University, *The Politic* strives to promote greater understanding and cooperation between the academic world and the world of politics. This publication was made possible in part by the Castle Publications Fund. John K. Castle endowed this fund in memory of his ancestor, James Pierpont. It is intended to promote disciplined reflection on ethical issues facing individuals in our complex modern society. This magazine is made possible through the support of the Yale Institution for Social and Policy Studies and the Yale Center for International and Area Studies. For information or to subscribe, contact Matthew Bloom (matthew.bloom@yale.edu) or Steven Siger (steven.siger@yale.edu).
Alan Gerber, Professor of Political Science and Director of the Center for the Study of American Politics. An expert on elections, campaign finance, and political representation, he is currently engaged in experimental studies of the effect of political activity on voter behavior. Recently he collaborated with political campaigns, randomizing the quantity of direct mail that they sent to voters in order to gauge the cost-effectiveness of political communication. His work has appeared in recent issues of the American Political Science Review, the American Journal of Political Science, and the Journal of Politics.

Donald P. Green is A. Whitney Griswold Professor of Political Science at Yale, where he has taught since 1989. Since 1996, he has served as Director of the Institution for Social and Policy Studies, an interdisciplinary research center that emphasizes field experimentation. His research interests span a wide array of topics: voting behavior, partisanship, campaign finance, rationality, research methodology, and hate crime. His recent books include Partisan Hearts and Minds: Political Parties and the Social Identities of Voters (Yale University Press, 2002) and Get Out the Vote! How to Increase Voter Turnout (Brookings Institution Press, 2004).

Jacob S. Hacker, Ph.D., Yale University, 2000, is Peter Strauss Family Assistant Professor of Political Science and Resident Fellow of the Institution for Social and Policy Studies. He is also a Fellow at the New America Foundation and a member of the American Political Science Association’s Task Force on Inequality and American Democracy. A former Junior Fellow of the Harvard Society of

Gregory Huber, Assistant Professor of Political Science; Ph.D., Princeton University. Professor Huber’s area of research is American politics, with a particular focus on bureaucratic and organizational behavior, criminal justice policy, regulation, and domestic political economy. He is the 2002 recipient of the American Political Science Association’s Leonard White Award for the best dissertation in public administration. He has been a Brookings Institution research fellow. His work has been published in the American Journal of Political Science, International Migration Review, and Population and Development Review.

John Lapinski, Ph.D., Columbia University, 2000, specializes in American politics with research and teaching interests in Congress, political parties, elections, history, public opinion, and quantitative methods. He is currently finishing a manuscript dealing with the role of Congress in American political development that
focuses on how institutional change within Congress affects the policy making process. Over the past year, Professor Lapinski has received the Arthur Greer Memorial Fund prize along with a Junior Faculty Fellowship (JFF) which gave him leave for the academic year 2002–2003. Professor Lapinski is Director of Yale’s New Media and Survey Research Initiative and Workshop and a fellow in Yale’s Center for Internet Studies. He is currently involved in a collaborative research project with the Washington Post involving the use of the Internet in conducting public opinion polls. His work has appeared in the American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Politics, Public Opinion Quarterly, and the International Journal of Public Opinion Research.

David R. Mayhew, Sterling Professor of Political Science, is a past director of the Ethics, Politics, and Economics Program. He has been an American Political Science Association Congressional Fellow; Guggenheim Fellow; Hoover National Fellow; Sherman Fairchild Fellow at the California Institute of Technology; a visiting fellow at Nuffield College (Oxford); a fellow at the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences; a member of the American Political Science Association National Council; a member of the Board of Overseers of the National Election Studies of the Center for Political Studies; and is a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. In 2000–2001, he was John M. Olin Visiting Professor of American Government at Oxford University. His writings include Party Loyalty Among Congressmen (1966); Congress: The Electoral Connection (1974); “Congressional Elections: The Case of the Vanishing Marginals” (1974); Placing Parties in American Politics (1986); Divided We Govern (1991); America’s Congress (2000); and Electoral Realignments: A Critique of an American Genre (2002).

Rose Razaghian completed her Ph.D. at Columbia University and is Assistant Professor of Political Science. Her research interests include political economy, financial policies, bureaucracy, and Congress. She is teaching Introduction to
Statistics, Market Failures and Political Institutions, and Sovereign Debt. She is currently studying the establishment of financial credibility in the ante-bellum United States as well as in contemporary developing economies. She has published in the *American Journal of Political Science* and in edited volumes.

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