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APPOINTMENTS **Loyola University Chicago**, Chicago, IL
Assistant Professor of Political Science, 2017 - present

EDUCATION **University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**, Chapel Hill, NC
Ph.D., Political Science, 2017
M.A., Political Science, 2014
Creighton University, Omaha, NE
B.A., Political Science, Spanish & Hispanic Studies, 2012 (*summa cum laude*)

PEER-REVIEWED Hansen, Eric R., and Sarah A. Treul. "Inexperienced or Anti-Establishment?
ARTICLES Voter Preferences for Outsider Congressional Candidates." Forthcoming, *Research & Politics*.

Hansen, Eric R., and Joshua Jansa. "Complexity, Resources, and Text Borrowing in State Legislatures." Forthcoming, *Journal of Public Policy*.

Saraceno, Joseph, Eric R. Hansen, and Sarah A. Treul. "Reevaluating the Substantive Representation of LGB Americans: A Multiverse Analysis." Forthcoming, *Journal of Politics*.

Hansen, Eric R., and Andrew Tyner. 2021. "Educational Attainment and Social Norms of Voting." *Political Behavior* 43(2): 711-35.

Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." *State Politics & Policy Quarterly* 20(1): 81-107.

Hansen, Eric R., Nicholas Carnes, and Virginia Gray. 2019. "What Happens When Insurers Make the Insurance Laws? State Legislative Agendas and the Occupational Makeup of Government." *State Politics & Policy Quarterly* 19(2): 155-79.

Jansa, Joshua, Eric R. Hansen, and Virginia Gray. 2019. "Copy and Paste Lawmaking: Legislative Professionalism and Policy Reinvention in the States." *American Politics Research* 47(4): 739-67.

- Carnes, Nicholas, and Eric R. Hansen. 2016. "Does Paying Politicians More Promote Economic Diversity in Legislatures?" *American Political Science Review* 110(4): 699-716.
- Hansen, Eric R., and Sarah A. Treul. 2015. "The Symbolic and Substantive Representation of LGB Americans in the U.S. House of Representatives." *Journal of Politics* 77(4): 955-67.
- EDITED
VOLUMES
- Hansen, Eric R., and Richard C. Witmer. 2021. "Growing Age and Education Gaps? The Evolution of Partisan Vote Choice among Religious Voters in the U.S., 2008-2018." *Journal of Religion & Society*. Special issue on "Religion and the New Politics," eds. Ronald A. Simkins and Zachary B. Smith. Supplement 23: 168-84.
- Hansen, Eric R. 2020. "LGBTQ Representation" in *Voting and Political Representation in America: Issues and Trends*, ed. Mark P. Jones. ABC-CLIO.
- OTHER
WRITINGS
- "Why We Should Be Paying More Attention to Lawmakers' Occupational Backgrounds." LSE USAPP Blog, February 21, 2019.
- "How Government Priorities Are Shaped by the Professional Backgrounds of Legislators." *SSN Key Findings*, February 2018.
- "Why Paying Legislators Higher Salaries Will Not Draw More Blue-Collar Workers into Office." *SSN Key Findings*, February 2016.
- WORKING
PAPERS
- "White Constituents and Congressional Voting."
- "Primary Barriers to Working Class Representation" (with Sarah Treul).
- "How Has Mass Higher Education Affected Democratic Politics? A View from the States"

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION	<p><i>American Political Science Association</i> Presenter: 2021, 2019, 2018, 2016 Discussant/Chair: 2019, 2018</p> <p><i>Midwest Political Science Association</i> Presenter: 2019, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2011 Discussant/Chair: 2021, 2019</p> <p><i>Southern Political Science Association</i> Presenter: 2020, 2018, 2016 Discussant/Chair: 2020, 2018</p> <p><i>State Politics & Policy Conference</i> Presenter: 2019, 2018, 2017, 2015, 2014</p> <p><i>Western Political Science Association</i> Discussant: 2021</p>
INVITED PRESENTATIONS	<p>“Reducing Barriers to Political Participation.” Harvard Kennedy School of Government, “Inequality, Democracy, and America’s Future” APSA pre-conference. August 29, 2018.</p> <p>“Copy and Paste Lawmaking: Legislative Professionalism and Policy Reinvention in the States.” Creighton University, Dept. of Political Science Brown Bag series. April 17, 2018.</p> <p>“Voting? Why Bother?” Creighton University Honors Program, Consideration Public Conversation series. April 16, 2018.</p>
AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS	<p>Summer Research Stipend for “Reassessing Voter Preferences for Working Class Candidates,” Loyola University Chicago (2020)</p> <p>Summer Research Stipend for “Leadership Diversity in State Legislatures,” Loyola University Chicago (2018)</p> <p>Thomas Carsey Travel Grant, APSA State Politics & Policy Section (2017)</p> <p>SSN Graduate Fellowship, Scholars’ Strategy Network (2016)</p> <p>Thomas M. Uhlman Summer Research Fellowship for “Constituency Diversity and Representation in American State Legislatures,” UNC Department of Political Science, UNC (2015)</p> <p>Earle Wallace Award for Graduate Student Teaching, UNC Department of Political Science (2015)</p>

Graduate Research Fellowship Honorable Mention, National Science Foundation (2013)

Faculty Award for Achievement in Political Science, Creighton University Department of Political Science (2012)

Presidential Scholarship, Creighton University (2008-2012)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT Workshop on Research Design for Causal Inference
Northwestern Pritzker School of Law (2018)

TEACHING *Undergraduate Courses Taught*
American Politics
Interest Group Politics
Legislative Process
Political Numbers (quantitative methods)
Politics and the Press
State Politics
The U.S. Experience (Honors)

Graduate Courses Taught
American Political Institutions

ADVISING *Undergraduate Research Mentorship*
Kaitlen Cerney, Mary Polupan, Braden Perry, Grayson Alexander

SERVICE *Discipline*
Member, Inclusion and Diversity Committee, APSA State Politics and Policy Section (2019-present)

Loyola University Chicago
Webmaster, Dept. of Political Science (2020-present)
Member, Dept. of Political Science Undergraduate Committee (2020-present)
Faculty Advisor, Loyolathon (2019-present)
Faculty Advisor, Pi Sigma Alpha—Zeta Mu Chapter (2018-present)
Member, Dept. of Political Science Graduate Committee (2018-2020)

Referee, *American Journal of Political Science*, *American Political Science Review*, *American Politics Research*, *Economics & Politics*, *Electoral Studies*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Public Policy*; *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics*; *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, *Political Behavior*, *Political Communication*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Political Science Research & Methods*, *Scandinavian Political Studies*, *Policy Studies Journal*