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EDUCATION:

- 1993 Ph.D., Stanford University, political science
- 1990 M.A., Stanford University, political science
- 1988 M.A., Stanford University, Latin American Studies
- 1986 B.A., Wittenberg University, summa cum laude

PUBLICATIONS:

Books:

- Forthcoming with Cambridge University Press: *Urban Protest in Mexico and Brazil*
- 2006 *Mexico: The Struggle for Democratic Development*, with Daniel C. Levy. Second edition. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press.
 - 2001 *Mexico: The Struggle for Democratic Development*, with Daniel C. Levy. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press.
 - 1997 *Taking on Goliath: The Emergence of a New Left Party and the Struggle for Democracy in Mexico*. University Park, PA: Penn State Press.

Articles:

- 2007 "Elite Polarization Meets Mass Moderation in Mexico's 2006 Elections," with Kenneth F. Greene. *PS: Political Science and Politics*. Vol. 40, No. 1 (January), pp. 33-38
- 2007 "Optimismo Moderado," with Kenneth F. Greene. *Foreign Affairs en Español*. Vol. 7, No. 1 (January), pp. 132-143.
- 2006 "Is Latin America Turning Socialist?: The Region's Electoral Trend." *ReVista*. Vol. 5, No. 1 (Spring/Summer 2006), pp. 42-43.
- 2005 "With Friends Like These: Protest Strategies and the Left in Brazil and Mexico." Kellogg Institute Working Paper No. 321. (October 2005)
- 2003 "Whores and Lesbians: Political Activism, Party Strategies, and Gender Quotas in Mexico." *Electoral Studies*. No. 22 (2003): 101-119.
- 1999 "Antonio Gramsci and the *Palabra Verdadera*: The Political Discourse of Mexico's Guerrilla Forces." *Journal of Interamerican Studies and World Affairs*. Vol. 41, No. 2 (Summer 1999), pp. 29-55.
- 1996 "Social Spending and Political Support: The 'Lessons' of the National Solidarity Program in Mexico." *Comparative Politics*, Vol. 28, No. 2 (January 1996), pp. 151-177.

Book Chapters:

- Forthcoming "The Evolution of the Mexican Left." In *Leftovers*. Edited by Jorge G. Castañeda and Marco

- A. Morales New York, NY: Routledge.
- 2004 "The Making of the Mexican President, 2000: Parties, Candidates, and Campaign Strategy." In *Mexico's Pivotal Democratic Election*. Edited by Jorge Domínguez and Chappell Lawson. Stanford: Stanford University Press.
- 2000 "Cuauhtémoc Rey: el PRD en el poder." In *Alternancia y transición política: Cómo gobierna la oposición en México*. Edited by Victor Alejandro Espinoza. Tijuana, Baja California: El Colegio de la Frontera Norte.
- 1999 "PRD Local Governments in Michoacán: Implications for Mexico's Democratization Process," in *Subnational Politics and Democratization in Mexico*. Edited by Wayne A. Cornelius, Todd Eisenstadt, and Jane Hindley. La Jolla, Calif.: Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UCSD.
- 1999 "Mexico: Sustained Civilian Rule and the Question of Democracy," with Daniel C. Levy. In *Politics in Developing Countries: Latin America*. Second edition. Edited by Larry Diamond, Jonathan Hartlyn, Juan Linz, and S.M. Lipset. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner.
- 1999 "The Resurrection of the Mexican Left in the 1997 Elections: Implications for the Party System." In *The Transformation of Mexico's Parties, Campaigns, Elections and Public Opinion*. Edited by Jorge Domínguez and Alejandro Poire. New York: Routledge Press.
- 1998 "The PRD: Diverging Approaches to Competition." In *Governing Mexico: The Institutionalisation of Political Parties*. Edited by Monica Serrano. Washington, D.C.: Brookings Institution.
- 1997 "The Seven Month Itch: Neoliberal Politics, Popular Movements, and the Left in Mexico." In *The New Politics of Inequality in Latin America: Rethinking Participation and Representation*. Edited by Douglas Chalmers et. al. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 1995 "Mexico: Sustained Civilian Rule Without Democracy." with Daniel C. Levy. In *Politics in Developing Countries: Comparing Experiences with Democracy*. Second edition. Edited by Larry Diamond, Juan Linz, and S.M. Lipset. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner.
- 1995 "Governing Under the Enemy: The PRD in Michoacán." with Keith Yanner. In *Opposition Government in Mexico: Past Experiences and Future Opportunities*. Edited by Victoria Rodríguez and Peter Ward. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press.

Book Reviews:

- Forthcoming Igor Vivero Ávila *Desafiando al sistema. La izquierda política en México. Evolución organizativa, ideológica y electoral del Partido de la Revolución Democrática (1989-2005)*. In *Política y Gobierno*.
- Forthcoming Claire Brewster. *Responding to Crisis in Contemporary Mexico*. In *Bulletin of Latin American Studies*.
- 2006 José Antonio Aguilar. *México: crónicas de un país posible*. In *Política y Gobierno*.
- 2004 Marcus J. Kurtz. *Free Market Democracy and the Chilean and Mexican Countryside*. In *Latin American Politics and Society*.
- 2004 Caroline Beer. *Electoral Competition and Institutional Change in Mexico*. In *The Americas*. Vol. 61, No. 2.
- 2003 Richard Snyder, ed. *Institutional Innovation and Adaptation in Rural Mexico*. In *Mesoamerica*. Nol. 24, No. 45.
- 2003 Claudio Lomnitz, *Deep Mexico, Silent Mexico: An Anthropology of Nationalism*. In *Bulletin of Spanish Studies*. Vol. 80, No. 2.
- 2002 Enrique Dussel Peters, *Polarizing Mexico: The Impact of Liberalization Strategy*. In *Latin American Politics and Society*. Vol. 44, no. 2: pp. 178-180.
- 2000 Edward McCaughan, *Reinventing Revolution*. In *Journal of Interamerican Studies and World Affairs*.
- 1999 John Cross, *Informal Politics: Street Vendors and the State in Mexico City*. In *Journal of Politics*, pp. 880-882.
- 1998 Roderic Ai Camp, ed., *Polling for Democracy*. In *Journal of Latin American Studies*.
- 1998 Howard Handelman, *Mexican Politics: The Dynamics of Change*. In *Journal of Latin American Studies*.

Other:

- 2000 "Radiografía de la protesta: El descontento en las calles del DF, 1992-2000." *La Jornada: Masiosare*. 3 December 2000.
- 2000 "Los tres acertijos del PRD." *La Jornada*, 27 July 2000.
- 1997 "Cuauhtémoc Rey." *La Jornada*, 3 December 1997, p. 1.
- 1997 "Cuauhtémoc Cárdenas." In *Encyclopedia of Mexico: History, Society and Culture*. Chicago: Fitzroy Dearborn.
- 1995 *Mexico: The Challenge of Political Opening*. Conference report. Washington, D.C.: International Forum for Democratic Studies.
- 1996 "Mexico's Reform is to Blame." *The Oregonian*, 5 February 1996.
- 1994 "Mood of Chiapas Rebels Runs Deep in Mexico." *Santa Barbara News-Press*, 16 January 1994, sec H, p. 1.

PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND TALKS:

- 2007 "Ideological Polarization in Post-Transition Mexico." UCSB Works in Progress.
- 2006 "The Making of the Mexican President 2006: A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to Los Pinos."
Talk given at Harvard University, November 2006.
- 2006 "Party Ideology and Issue Stability in Mexico." Presented at APSA, August 31, 2006.
- 2006 "Partisanship and Protest: Lessons from Brazil and Mexico" Presented at the XXVI Latin American Studies Association, March 15-18, 2006.
- 2006 "Parties versus Candidates: Ideological Strategies in the 2006 Mexican Presidential Election."
Presented at the XXVI Latin American Studies Association, March 15-18, 2006.
- 2006 "The Changing Basis of Ideological Competition." Presented at the University of Texas at Austin, February 2006.
- 2006 Panelist, The Catholic Church as Global Actor, UCSB
- 2006 Book presentation, Mexico: The Struggle for Democratic Development, UCSB
- 2005 "Divided Houses: Partisanship and Protest" UCSB Works in Progress.
- 2005 Panelist, "Graciela Limón: Zapatistas, Literature and the Chicano Experience", UCSB
- 2004 "Partisanship and Protest in Fragile Democracies: Lessons from Brazil and Mexico." Talk given at The Kellogg Institute, University of Notre Dame, February 2004.
- 2004 "Globalization and the Renovation of the Latin American Left: Strategies of Ideological Adaptation." Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association April 15-18, 2004.
- 2003 "Democratización, los partidos políticos, y movimientos sociales en el contexto urbano." Talk given at El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, Tijuana, October 2003.
- 2003 "Partisanship and Protest in Fragile Democracies: Lessons from Brazil and Mexico." Talk given at the Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UCSD, November 2003.
- 2003 "New Access or New Corporatism? Urban Popular Movements and the Left in Mexico and Brazil." Presented at the XXIV Latin American Studies Association, March 27-30, 2003.
- 2002 "The Political Impact of Free Trade in Mexico." Presented at UC-Riverside.
- 2001 "Juntos pero no Revueltos: Labor and the Left in the Mexican Transition." Presented at APSA, August 30-September 2, 2001.
- 2000 "The Making of the Mexican President, 2000: Race to Los Pinos." Presented at Harvard University, December 2000.
- 2000 "Disputing the Future: Structural Constraints and Strategic Choices in the Reconfiguration of the Mexican Left." Presented at the International Political Science Association, August 2-6, 2000.
- 2000 "The Importance of Being Cuauhtémoc: The 2000 Presidential Campaign of the PRD." Presented at the Center for Economic Investigation and Instruction (CIDE), Mexico City, June 2000.
- 2000 Roundtable on the 2000 Election, Colegio de la Frontera Norte (Tijuana), July 2000.

- 1999 "The Emergence of Party Competition in Mexico." Presented at APSA, September 2-5, 1999.
- 1998 "Mexico: Sustained Civilian Rule and the Question of Democracy." (with Daniel C. Levy)
Presented at APSA, September 3-6, 1998.
- 1998 "Cuauhtémoc Rey: Opposition Government in Mexico City and the Implications for
Democratization." Presented at Latin American Studies Association, September 24-27,
1998.
- 1998 "Antonio Gramsci and the 'Palabra Verdadera': The Political Discourse of Mexico's Guerrilla
Movements." Paper presented at conference on "Mexican Popular Political Culture,
1800-2000." April 24-25, 1998, UCSD.
- 1998 Invited conference on Mexico's political futures, February 19, 1998, CSIS, Washington D.C.
(involved a mix of government policy-makers on Mexico and academic guests).
- 1997 "The Resurrection of the Left." Paper presented at conference on "The New Mexican
Party System," Harvard University, October 31, 1997.
- 1996 "PRD Local Governments in Michoacán: Implications for Mexico's Democratization Process."
Paper presented at the XX Latin American Studies Association, April 1996.
- 1996 "The PRD: Diverging Approaches to Competition." Paper presented at Mexican Political Party
System Conference, November 29, 1996, University of London, London, England.
- 1996 Panelist, "Mexico and the United States." Conference on the U.S. and Latin America, UCSD, 1996.
- 1996 "In the Land of Lilliput: The Experience of the PRD in Michoacán." Paper presented at the
workshop "Local Politics and Democratization: Mexico and Cuba Compared." February
21-23, 1996, National Autonomous University of Mexico, Mexico City.
- 1996 "Social Disparities and the Political Transition." Symposium on Mexico, Stanford University February 9,
1996.
- 1996 "Mexico: Embattled Neighbor." Great Decisions Series, sponsored by the World Affairs Council
of Oregon, February 6, 1996.
- 1995 "The Last Voyage of Noah's Ark?" Paper presented at the XIX Congress of the Latin American
Studies Association, September 28-30, 1995.
- 1995 Discussant, for presentation of ¡Vamos a ganar! La pugna de Cuauhtémoc Cárdenas por el poder,
Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UCSD, June 1995.
- 1995 "Democracy and the Peso in Mexico." UCSB New Faculty Lecture Series, March 1995.
- 1994 "The 1994 Elections: Implications for Democratization." Talk given at the Center for U.S.-
Mexican Studies, UCSD, 1994.
- 1994 "Observación electoral: El caso de Michoacán." Talk given at El Colegio de México, Mexico
City, August 1994.
- 1994 "The Seven Month Itch: Parties and Popular Movements in Mexico." Paper presented at the
XVIII Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, March 1994.
- 1994 "The Seven Month Itch: Parties and Popular Movements in Mexico." Paper presented at
Columbia University conference, New Forms of Popular Representation in Latin
America.
- 1994 "Time of Trials: The 1994 Mexican Presidential Election." Multicultural Center, UCSB.
- 1994 "The PRD and Popular Movements." Talk at the Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UCSD, 1994.
- 1993 "Votes for Sale?" talk at the University of Texas, Austin, November 22, 1993.
- 1992 Panel participant, workshop on Opposition Government in Mexico, XVII Congress of the Latin
American Studies Association, September 24-27, 1992.

PUBLIC SERVICE:

- 2006 UCSB Town Forum, "Is Mexico Going Socialist?"
- 2006 UCSB Affiliates Lecture, on the Mexican Presidential Election
- 2001 Presentation at The Symposium, UCSB Interdisciplinary Humanities Center
- 2000 Participation in Amnesty International event, speaking about Mexico
- 1998 UCSB Town Forum, on Democracy in the Third World: Promise or Propaganda?
- 1997 UCSB—Chancellor's Community Breakfast, Speaker in program on America's Leadership
in Human Rights
- 1996 American Association of University Women—Santa Barbara, on The Current Situation in Mexico

- 1995 Presented talk at General Affiliates Town Forum
 1996 “The Current Situation in Mexico.” Talk for the American Association of University Women, Santa Barbara chapter, 1996.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Comparative Methods
 Democratization in Comparative Perspective (at graduate and undergraduate level)
 Introduction to Comparative Politics
 Mexican Politics (at graduate and undergraduate level)
 Third World Politics
 U.S.-Mexican Relations
 Social Movements and Collective Action
 Political Development
 Political Parties and Party Systems
 Revolutions and Political Violence

FELLOWSHIPS AND HONORS:

2006 ISBER Research Grant
 2006 UC Faculty Senate research award
 2004 Kellogg Fellow, University of Notre Dame
 2003 UC Fellowship for Mexican Studies, UCSD Center for US.-Mexican Studies
 2003 Institute for Social and Behavioral Research, research grant
 2002 Institute for Social and Behavioral Research, research grant
 2002 UC Council on Research, research grant
 1997 UC Faculty Senate research award.
 1994 UC Fellowship for Mexican Studies, UCSD Center for US.-Mexican Studies.
 1994 UC Faculty Senate research award.
 1993 Hubert Herring Award of the Pacific Coast Council on Latin American Studies: best dissertation on Latin America in the PCCLAS region.
 1992-93 Graduate Research Fellow, Center for Latin American Studies, Stanford University.
 1992-93 Dissertation Completion Grant, Stanford Institute for International Studies.
 1991-92 Visiting Research Fellow, UCSD Center for US.-Mexican Studies.
 1991 Research grant, Stanford MacArthur Summer Fellowships.
 1991 Travel grant, Stanford Institute for International Studies.
 1986-89 National Science Foundation Fellowship.
 1989 Research grant, Center for Latin American Studies at Stanford University.
 1986 Rhodes Scholarship, state finalist.
 1985 Wittenberg Presidential Scholar—top ten juniors.
 1982-86 Dean’s List, Wittenberg University, all terms.
 1982 National Merit Finalist.
 Member, Pi Sigma Alpha—national political science honorary.
 Member, Sigma Delta Pi—national Spanish honorary.

ACADEMIC SERVICE:

Director of Latin American and Iberian Studies, 2006-present
 Graduate Committee, Dept. of Political Science, 2006-2007
 Graduate Advisor, Dept. of Political Science, 2000-2003
 Graduate Committee, Dept. of Political Science, 1999-2000.
 General Education Committee, 1997-1998
 Latin American and Iberian Studies Advisory Board, 1996-present
 Faculty Legislature, 1995-1997.

Comparative Politics Search Committee, 1993-1994; 1994-1995.
International Relations Search Committee, 1996-97.
Political Theory Search Committee, 1997-98
Committee on Latin American Studies, Stanford University, 1989-1990.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

American Political Science Association
Latin American Studies Association