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**Employment**

Lecturer (member of the Academic Senate) and Assistant Political Science Researcher.  
University of California, Berkeley (July 2006 to present).

Associate Director, Center for American Political Studies, and lecturer in the Department  
of Government. Harvard University (July 2003 to July 2006)

Lecturer (member of the Academic Senate) and Assistant Political Science Researcher.  
University of California, Berkeley (July 2002-June 2003)

Assistant Political Science Researcher and Adjunct Assistant Professor. University of  
California, Berkeley (July 2000-July 2002)

Research Fellow. Institute of Governmental Studies, University of California, Berkeley  
(1997-2000)

Lecturer. University of California, Berkeley (1998-2000)

**Education**

Yale University, M.A. 1992, M. Phil. 1994, Ph.D. 1999  
Franklin and Marshall College, B.A. 1989

**Journal Articles**

- Terri Bimes. 2007. ""The Practical Origins of the Rhetorical Presidency," *Critical Review* 19(2-3): 241-256.
- Terri Bimes and Quinn Mulroy, "The Rise and Decline of Presidential Populism," *Studies in American Political Development* v.8, no. 2 (October 2004): 136-159.
- Eric Schickler, Terri Bimes, and Robert Mickey, "Safe at Any Speed: Legislative Intent, The Electoral Count Act of 1887, and Bush v. Gore," *Journal of Law and Politics* (Fall 2000), 16:717-64.

- Paul Frymer, Thomas Kim, and Terri Bimes, “Individual Consistency and Divided Government,” *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 22 (May 1997): 195-216.
- Terri Bimes and Stephen Skowronek, "Woodrow Wilson's Critique of Popular Leadership: Reassessing the Modern-Traditional Divide," *Polity* 29 (Fall 1996): 27-64.

### **Book Chapters**

- Terri Bimes, “The Rhetorical Presidency” in the *Oxford Handbook of the American Presidency*, eds. George Edwards and William Howell (Oxford University Press, forthcoming).
- Terri Bimes, “Resolved, the framers of the Constitution would approve of the modern presidency (con side)” in *Debating the Presidency: Conflicting Perspectives on the American Executive*, eds. Richard J. Ellis and Michael Nelson (CQ Press, 2006).
- Terri Bimes, “Reagan: The Soft-sell Populist” in W. Elliot Brownlee and Hugh Davis Graham, eds., *The Reagan Presidency: Pragmatic Conservatism and Its Legacies* (Lawrence, KS: University Press of Kansas, 2003).
- Terri Bimes and Stephen Skowronek, "Woodrow Wilson's Critique of Popular Leadership: Reassessing the Modern-Traditional Divide," in Richard Ellis, ed., *Speaking for the People: The Rhetorical Presidency in Historical Perspective* (University of Massachusetts Press, 1999).

### **Works in Progress**

- Book: *The Metamorphosis of Presidential Populism*. Revise and Resubmit from Princeton University Press.

### **Other publications**

- Book Review of Victoria A. Farrar-Myers’ *Scripted for Change: The Institutionalization of the American Presidency in Congress and the Presidency* v. 35, n. 2 (Autumn 2008): 89-91.
- Contributed five entries to the *Encyclopedia of the American Presidency* to be published by Facts-on-File in January 2003.
- Book Review of Leroy Dorsey, ed., *The Presidency and Rhetorical Leadership in Presidential Studies Quarterly*, v. 32, n. 4 (December 2002): 816-817.

## Convention Papers and Participation

- Discussant, “Presidential Communications Strategy” 2008 American Political Science Association Meeting.
- Discussant, “The Presidency: Public Opinion and Political Communication,” 2008 Western Political Science Association Meeting.
- "The Rhetorical Presidency Revisited: An Examination of Presidential Populism 1789-2004." 2007 American Political Science Association Meeting.
- Chair and Discussant, “The Dynamics of the 2004 Presidential Election,” 2005 APSA Annual Meeting.
- “Playing Favorites: An Examination of Party-Loyal Donors to Presidential Nomination Campaigns, 1996-2004” (co-authored with Casey Byrne Dominguez). 2004 APSA Annual Meeting.
- “Strategic Decisions in Presidential Nominations, Fundraising, and Elections” (co-authored with Casey Byrne Dominguez) 2003 APSA Annual Meeting.
- “Breaking Down the Modern-Traditional Divide,” 2002 APSA Annual Meeting.
- “Ronald Reagan and the New Conservative Populism,” 2002 APSA Annual Meeting.
- “Ronald Reagan and the New Conservative Populism,” Conference on the Reagan Presidency, University of California, Santa Barbara, March 2002.
- Discussant, Personality and Popularity Panel, Conference on the Reagan Presidency, University of California, Santa Barbara, March 2002.
- Discussant, The Historical Roots of the Presidency Panel. 2001 APSA Annual Meeting.
- Roundtable on the Presidency in American Political Development: A Twentieth Century Retrospective. 2000 APSA Annual Meeting.
- “The Roots of Presidential Populism,” 1999 APSA Annual Meeting.
- “Explanations of the Metamorphosis of Presidential Populism,” Midwest Political Association Meeting, April 1999.
- “The Calming of the Seas: Presidential Rhetoric from FDR to Bill Clinton,” Western Political Science Association Meeting, March 1999.

- “The Rise and Fall of Presidential Populism,” Western Political Science Association Meeting, March 1998.
- “The Loss of the Populist Edge: Democratic Presidential Rhetoric from Andrew Jackson to Bill Clinton,” Northeast Political Science Association Meeting, November 1997.
- “Individual Consistency and Divided Government,” (with Paul Frymer and Thomas Kim) 1996 APSA Annual Meeting.
- “Woodrow Wilson's Critique of Popular Leadership: Reassessing the Modern-Traditional Divide,” (with Stephen Skowronek) Western Political Science Association Meeting, March 1995.

### **Professional Service and Activities**

- Referee: Article for *Political Science Quarterly*, November 2008
- “Election 2008,” talk given to the Regents and Chancellor Students, October 28, 2008
- Committee member, Best Graduate Student Paper for the Presidency Research Section. (2006-2007)
- Referee: Book for Cambridge University Press May 2007
- Referee: Article for *Congress and the Presidency*, May 2007
- Presidential Chair Fellows Program (UC Berkeley), 2006-2007.
- Committee on Undergraduate Scholarship & Honors (Academic Senate, UC Berkeley), 2006-2007.
- Division Chair, APSA, Presidency Research section: Organized panels for the 2005 annual meeting of APSA for the Presidency Research section.
- Referee: *Polity* (Journal of the Northeastern Political Science Association).
- Referee: *Perspectives on Politics* (New York: Cambridge University Press for the American Political Science).
- Chair, Presidency Research Group’s Founders Award (best paper; named in honor of Thomas E. Cronin), 2003-2004.
- Member, Presidency Research Group Board, 2003-2006.

- National Endowment for the Humanities Grant, 2001: Grant funded a viewing, reading, and discussion project for the public entitled “Presidents, Politics, and Power: American Presidents Who Shaped the 20<sup>th</sup> Century.” Moderator for the discussion on the presidency of Theodore Roosevelt. Arranged moderators for the six sessions and put together publicity for the project.
- Conference on the Reagan Presidency, 2002: Helped to organize a conference on the Reagan Presidency at the University of California, Santa Barbara in March 2002.
- Organizer, *American Political History Seminar Series*, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley. Fall 2001-present
- Co-organizer, *Historical Institutionalism Seminar Series*, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley. 1998-present
- Panelist, *Annual Review of the Presidency* (Town Hall Meeting sponsored by the *New York Times*, UC Extension, and the Institute of Governmental Studies), April 26, 1999 / April 24, 2000 / April 24, 2001/ April 18, 2002.
- Administrator, *John Gardner Fellowship Program*, June 1999-June 2000. Handled selection process of three fellows from UC Berkeley, secured their placement at either governmental agencies or non-profit organizations, and organized orientation and evaluation meetings.
- Review Committee for Bennett Prize in Political Science, University of California, Berkeley, 2001-2002.

### **Teaching and Advising**

- Taught the following courses: Senior Honor Thesis Parties, American Political Parties and Interest Groups, The American Presidency, The Presidency in Historical Perspective, and Comparative Party Systems.
- Advised senior honor theses by: Karl Procaccini (Thomas T. Hoopes Prize and James Gordon Bennett Prize) and Amelia Showalter (Eric Firth Prize) at Harvard University.
- Currently, I am serving on Andrew Manson’s dissertation committee.