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EMPLOYMENT

Jeffrey & Ashley McDermott Professor of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley, 2010-present. Department Chair, 2013-2018. Co-Director Institute of Governmental Studies, 2019-present.
Professor, Department of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley, 2002-2003, 2006-2010.
Professor, Department of Government, Harvard University, 2003-2006.
Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley, 2001-2002.
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley, 1997-2001.

EDUCATION

Yale University, M.A. 1992, M. Phil. 1994, Ph.D. 1997.
New College of Florida, B.A. 1991.

AWARDS / HONORS

Philip E. Converse Book Award for an outstanding book in the elections, public opinion, and voting behavior field published at least five years before, 2019 (2019 APSA).
Elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2017
Woodrow Wilson Prize for the best book on government, politics or international affairs, 2016 (2017 APSA)
J. David Greenstone Prize for the best book on politics and history (co-winner), 2016 (2017 APSA)
Richard E. Neustadt Award Honoring the Best Book on Executive Politics, 2016 (2017 APSA)
Richard F. Fenno Jr. Prize for the best book published on legislative politics, 2016 (2017 APSA)
Warren J. Mitofsky Award for Excellence in Public Opinion Research, 2013. Annual award for outstanding work on public opinion or survey methodology.
CQ Prize for the best paper on legislative politics at the 2007 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (2008 APSA)
Party Politics Award honoring the best paper presented on a Political Organizations and Parties Panel at the 2007 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (2008 APSA)
Richard F. Fenno Jr. Prize for the best book published on legislative politics, 2006 (2007 APSA)
Emerging Scholar Award from the Political Organizations and Parties Section of APSA, 2004 (co-winner)
CQ Prize for the best paper on legislative politics at 2002 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (2003 APSA)
Richard F. Fenno Jr. Prize for the best book published on legislative politics, 2001 (2002 APSA)

BOOKS

Disjointed Pluralism: Institutional Innovation and the Development of the U.S. Congress. Princeton University Press, 2001. Recipient of the 2001 Richard F. Fenno Jr. Prize.

Green, Donald, Bradley Palmquist, and Eric Schickler. *Partisan Hearts and Minds: Political Parties and the Social Identities of Voters*. Yale University Press, 2002. Recipient of 2019 Philip E. Converse Award.

Wawro, Gregory, and Eric Schickler. *Filibuster: Obstruction and Lawmaking in the United States Senate*. Princeton University Press, 2006. Recipient of the 2006 Richard F. Fenno Jr. Prize.

Schickler, Eric, and Frances Lee, eds. *Oxford Handbook of Congress*. Oxford and New York: Oxford University Press, 2011. Outstanding Academic Titles 2012, as selected by *CHOICE* Magazine, December 2012.

Schickler, Eric. *Racial Realignment: The Transformation of American Liberalism, 1932-1965*, Princeton University Press, 2016. Recipient of the 2016 Woodrow Wilson Prize and co-recipient of the J. David Greenstone Prize.

Kriner, Douglas L., and Eric Schickler. *Investigating the President: Congressional Checks on Presidential Power*, Princeton University Press, 2016. Recipient of the Richard F. Fenno Jr. Prize and the Richard E. Neustadt Award.

Gerber, Alan S., and Eric Schickler, editors. *Governing in a Polarized Age: Essays on Elections, Parties and Political Representation in Honor of David Mayhew*. Cambridge University Press, 2017.

Caughey, Devin, Adam Berinsky, Sara Chatfield, Erin Hartman, Eric Schickler, and Jasjeet Sekhon. *Target Estimation and Adjustment Weighting for Survey Nonresponse and Sampling Bias*. New York: Cambridge University Press Elements in Quantitative and Computational Methods for the Social Sciences, 2020.

Davidson, Roger, Walter Oleszek, Frances Lee, and Eric Schickler. *Congress and Its Members*, 18th edition. CQ Press, 2021.

JOURNAL ARTICLES

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Hopkins, Daniel J., Eric Schickler, and David L. Aziz. 2022. "From Many Divides, One? The Polarization and Nationalization of American State Party Platforms, 1918-2017." *Studies in American Political Development*.

Caughey, Devin, Michael Dougal, and Eric Schickler. 2020. "Policy and Performance in the New Deal Realignment: Evidence from Old Data and New Methods." *Journal of Politics*, 82: 494-508

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- Wawro, Gregory J., and Eric Schickler. 2018. "Reid's Rules: Filibusters, the Nuclear Option, and Path Dependence in the U.S. Senate," *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 43: 619-47.
- Caughey, Devin, and Eric Schickler. 2016. "Substance and Change in Congressional Ideology: NOMINATE and Its Alternatives." *Studies in American Political Development* 30 (October): 128-146.
- Kriner, Douglas L., and Eric Schickler. 2014. "Investigating the President: Committee Probes and Presidential Approval, 1953-2006." *Journal of Politics* 76: 521-34.
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- Schickler, Eric, and Devin Caughey. 2011. "Public Opinion, Organized Labor, and the Limits of New Deal Liberalism, 1936-1945." *Studies in American Political Development* 25: 1-28.
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- Wawro, Gregory J., and Eric Schickler, 2010. "Legislative Obstructionism." *Annual Review of Political Science* 13: 297-319.
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- Feinstein, Brian, and Eric Schickler. 2008. "Platforms and Partners: The Civil Rights Realignment Reconsidered." *Studies in American Political Development*, 22: 1-31.
- Gregory Wawro and Eric Schickler. 2004. "Where's the Pivot? Obstruction and Lawmaking in the Pre-Cloture Senate." *American Journal of Political Science*, 48: 758-74.
- Jeffery A. Jenkins, Eric Schickler, and Jamie Carson. 2004. "Constituency Cleavages and

- Congressional Parties: Measuring Homogeneity and Polarization, 1857-1913.” *Social Science History*, 28: 537-573.
- Schickler, Eric, Eric McGhee, and John Sides. 2003. “Remaking the House and Senate: Personal Power, Ideology, and the 1970s Reforms.” *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 28:297-331.
- Citrin, Jack, Eric Schickler, and John Sides. 2003. “What if Everyone Voted? Simulating the Impact of Increased Turnout in Senate Elections.” *American Journal of Political Science*, 47: 75-90.
- Nelson W. Polsby and Eric Schickler. 2002. “Landmarks in the Study of Congress since 1945.” *Annual Review of Political Science*, 5: 333-367. Reprinted in *The Evolution of Political Knowledge: Theory and Inquiry in American Politics*. Edward D. Mansfield and Richard Sisson, eds. Columbus: Ohio University Press (January 2004).
- Schickler, Eric, Terri L. Bimes, and Robert W. Mickey. 2002. “Safe At Any Speed: Legislative Intent, The Electoral Count Act of 1887, and *Bush v. Gore*.” *Journal of Law and Politics*, 16: 717-64.
- Schickler, Eric. 2000. “Institutional Change in the House of Representatives, 1867-1998: A Test of Partisan and Ideological Power Balance Models.” *American Political Science Review* 94: 269-88.
- Schickler, Eric, and John Sides. 2000. “Intergenerational Warfare: The Senate Decentralizes Appropriations.” *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 25: 551-75.
- Green, Donald, Bradley Palmquist, and Eric Schickler. 1998. “Macropartisanship: A Replication and Critique.” *American Political Science Review* 92: 883-99.
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- Schickler, Eric, and Andrew Rich. 1997. “Party Government in the House Reconsidered: A Response to Cox and McCubbins.” *American Journal of Political Science* 41:1387-94.
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- Schickler, Eric, and Ruth Bloch Rubin. 2017. "Congress and American Political Development." In Robert Lieberman, Suzanne Mettler, and Richard Valelly, eds., *Oxford Handbook of American Political Development*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Devin Caughey and Eric Schickler. 2017. "Keith Poole, Ideology Scores, and the Study of Congressional Development." *The Legislative Scholar: The Newsletter of the Legislative Studies Section of the American Political Science Association* 2 (2): 37-42.
- Schickler, Eric, and Gregory J. Wawro. 2012. "Response to 'Winning Coalition Formation in the U.S. Senate: The Effects of Legislative Decision Rules and Agenda Change.'" *American Journal of Political Science*, Web Rejoinder.
- Schickler, Eric. 2012. Foreword to Larry C. Dodd, *Thinking About Congress: Essays on Congressional Change*. New York: Routledge.
- Schickler, Eric, and Gregory J. Wawro. 2011. "What the Filibuster Tells us About the Senate." *The Forum*, 9 (4).
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- Dysfunction? The U.S. Senate, 1960-2010*. Washington, DC: CQ Press.
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- Citrin, Jack, Eric Schickler, and John Sides. 2011. "Who Governs if Everyone Votes?" In Paul Sniderman and Benjamin Highton, eds., *Facing the Challenge of Democracy: Explorations in the Analysis of Public Opinion and Political Participation*. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Schickler, Eric. 2009. "The Impact of Unequal Political Participation on Policy Outcomes." In Gary King, Kay Schlozman, and Norman Nie, eds. *The Future of Political Science: 100 Perspectives*. New York: Routledge Press.
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from Aggregate Data.” In Richard G. Niemi and Herbert F. Weisberg (eds.), *Controversies in Voting Behavior*, 4th ed. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.

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Schickler, Eric. 2000. Review of *Pivotal Politics*, by Keith Krehbiel. *American Political Science Review*, 94: 193-94.

Rae, Douglas, and Eric Schickler. 1996. “Majority Rule,” In Dennis C. Mueller (ed.), *Perspectives on Public Choice*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

GRANTS / FELLOWSHIPS

William and Flora Hewlett Foundation, Madison Initiative, “Can James Madison's Constitution Survive Parliamentary Parties?” 2015-17, (with Paul Pierson). \$75,000 grant to fund conference and follow-up project.

National Science Foundation, Political Science Program Grant, “The American Mass Public in the Early Cold War Years,” 2012-14. (with Adam Berinsky and Jasjeet Sekhon). Schickler/Sekhon Berkeley portion, \$354,781.

National Science Foundation, Political Science Program Grant, “Collaborative Research: The American Mass Public in the 1930s and 1940s,” 2006-2010. (with Adam Berinsky). Schickler portion, \$177,431. Total grant, \$345,000.

Co-Researcher, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Joint Fellow-Faculty Research Pilot Project, “The Failure of National Health Insurance, 1935-1950: A Critical Juncture in American Health Politics?” Total grant, \$14,390.

Invited to be a Scheduled Fellow at the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, CA.

Dirksen Center Congressional Research Award, 2002.

Committee on Research, Faculty Research Grant, University of California, Berkeley, 2001-02.

Committee on Research, Junior Faculty Research Grant, University of California, Berkeley, 1998-99.

Leylan Fellowship, Yale University, 1995-1996.

Harry S. Truman Scholarship Award, 1989.