

Experimental Section 42

Business meeting

August 21, 2017

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1 Our people

Presidents elect

- ▶ Today Becky Morton takes over as President elect, becoming President at APSA 2018
- ▶ Thad Dunning has elected to step down as president elect, becomes president elect elect, and will become president elect at APSA 2018.
- ▶ Both positions have already been voted on. This is a change in timing.

Nomination of New Officers

Nominees:

- ▶ Treasurer (beginning 2018)– David Nickerson (Not here)
- ▶ Secretary (beginning 2018)– Anna Bassi (Here)
- ▶ Council
 - ▶ Council term beginning today – Adam Berinsky (Not here)
 - ▶ Council term beginning Sept 2018 – Dustin Tingley (here?)
 - ▶ Council term beginning Sept 2018 – Claire Adida (here?)

Majority Vote:

- ▶ Vote

Nomination of New Officers

Thanks

- ▶ Huge thanks to Jake Bowers who is rotating off the council!
- ▶ Huge thanks to nominating committee: Rebecca Morton, Susan Hyde, Mike Tomz

Members

Currently 342 members. Down from 352 reported this time last year.

- ▶ Please encourage colleagues and students to join.

2 Our finances and our membership

Update (John Bullock)

Finances

- ▶ Balance 2016-07-31: \$24,161.09
- ▶ Balance 2017-07-31: \$26,427.91
- ▶ Revenue in last 12 months: \$6864.00 (down 3%)
- ▶ Expenses in last 12 months: \$4597.18

New initiatives:

- ▶ Extra issue of JEPS
- ▶ Graduate student membership / waiving grad student fees

3 Our Journal

JEPS: Continuity and change

We will hear from:

- ▶ Kevin Esterling—chair of the Journal Advisory Committee
- ▶ Vin Arceneaux —new editor in chief

Thanks

- ▶ To the editor selection committee: Kevin Esterling, Rick Wilson, and Jennifer Merolla
- ▶ Thanks to the journal advisory committee Kevin Esterling, Mike Tomz, Diana Mutz, Sanford Gordon

New Issues (Vin): Issue 4.1

1. Jeon: “Nationalism and social sanctioning across ethnic lines: Experiment from Kenya-Tanzania”
2. Leeper: “How does treatment self-selection affect inferences about political communication”
3. Rogers: “Nothing to lose: Charitable donations as incentives in risk preferences measurement”
4. Butler: “Moving beyond measurement: adapting audit studies to test bias-reducing interventions”
5. Arceneaux: “Anxiety reduces empathy toward outgroup members but not ingroup members”
6. Kobayashi: “The media priming effect: A preregistration replication experiment”

New Issues (Vin): Issue 4.2

1. Peterson: “Costly Values: The limited benefits and potential costs of targeted policy justifications”
2. Green: “How much GOTV mail is too much?”
3. Scotto: “We spend how much? Misperceptions, innumeracy, and support for foreign aid in the US and Great Britain”
4. Pedersen: “Politicians appear more competent when using numerical rhetoric”
5. Barber: “Status quo bias in ballot wording”
6. Franco: “Developing standards for post-hoc weighting in population based survey experiments”

Big thanks to outgoing AEs:

1. Fotini Christia
2. Jamie Druckman
3. Catherine Eckel
4. Alan Gerber
5. Leonie Huddy
6. Macartan Humphreys
7. Kosuke Imai
8. Bernhard Kittel
9. Neil Malhotra
10. Elizabeth Levy Paluck
11. Karine Van Der Straeten

Warm welcome to new editorial team

Senior Associate Editor

- ▶ Rick K. Wilson, Rice University

Associate Editors

- ▶ Cheryl Boudreau, UC Davis
- ▶ Sarah Bush, Temple University
- ▶ Jennifer Jerit, Stony Brook University
- ▶ Jaime Settle, College of William and Mary
- ▶ Betsy Sinclair, Washington University-Saint Louis
- ▶ Jonathan Woon, University of Pittsburgh
- ▶ Liz Zechmeister, Vanderbilt University

4 Our prize winners

Best dissertation

- ▶ Alex Coppock: “Positive, Small, Homogeneous, and Durable: Political Persuasion in Response to Information.”
- ▶ **Committee:** Adam Levine, Jessica Gottlieb, Dan Nielson
- ▶ Alex and Adam are here!

Best book

- ▶ Samara Klar and Yanna Krupnikov: Independent Politics: *How American Disdain for Parties Leads to Political Inaction*
- ▶ **Committee**: Emily Beaulieu, Rebecca Morton, Thad Dunning
- ▶ Sadly Yanna and Samar not here. But Thad is!

Best Paper

- ▶ David Doherty, Conor M. Dowling, and Michael G. Miller: “The Effects of Candidate Race and Gender on Party Chairs’ Assessments of Electoral Viability”
- ▶ **Committee:** Jessica Preece, Liz Carlson, Christian Grose
- ▶ Dave, Conor, and Jessica are here!

Public Service

- ▶ Kelly Bidwell: Office of Evaluation Sciences
- ▶ **Committee:** Helen Milner, Susan Hyde, Laura Paler
- ▶ Sadly Kelly is not here. But Laura is!

5 Other business

research4impact information session on Saturday at 630pm (Adam Levine)

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Mission How it works

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Research4Impact connects people from the academic, nonprofit, and governance spaces who are interested in collaborating with each other. Collaborations answer important questions, increase the effectiveness of policies and programs, and ultimately improve our quality of life.

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Bits

- ▶ Registry development – no real news here. Continued strong growth in registration but partnership with COS appears slow and no rebranding yet.
- ▶ APSA program 2018. Share ideas with Betsy Sinclair and Sarah Brierley (not here)
- ▶ Thanks to Conor Dowling and Amber Wichowsky for doing an amazing job on the program this year.
- ▶ AOB?