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## EMPLOYMENT

**Wright State University** Dayton, OH  
Assistant Professor of Political Science 2015 - present

## EDUCATION

**The Pennsylvania State University** University Park, PA

Ph.D. Political Science August 2015

- Dissertation: *Laboratories of Writing: The Political Causes and Consequences of Statutory Language in the U.S. States*
- Committee: Eric Plutzer (Chair), Michael Berkman, David Lowery, and Duane Alwin
- Fields: American Politics, Comparative Politics, and Political Methodology.

M.A. Political Science May 2011

**Virginia Tech** Blacksburg, VA

M.Ed. Curriculum and Instruction May 2004

B.A. History May 2003

**Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research** Ann Arbor, MI

Regression Analysis III, Advanced Topics in Maximum Likelihood Estimation Summer 2011

## REFEREED ARTICLES

Plutzer, Eric, Mark McCaffrey, **A. Lee Hannah**, Joshua Rosenau, Minda Berbeco, and Ann Reid. 2016. "Climate confusion among U.S. teachers." *Science* Vol. 351 (no. 6274):664-665.  
DOI: [10.1126/science.aab3907](https://doi.org/10.1126/science.aab3907)

\*News Coverage: [New York Times](#), [The Guardian](#), [The Washington Post](#), [Christian Science Monitor](#), [Time](#), [Newsweek](#), [CBS](#), [U.S. News & World Report](#), [Scientific American](#), [NPR All Things Considered](#), [PBS Nova](#), [The Weather Channel](#), [The Atlantic - City Lab](#), [Slate](#), [Vox](#), [Education World](#), [Education Week](#), [Pacific Standard](#), [Inside Climate News](#), [AOL](#), [Daily Kos](#), [New Scientist](#), [ARS Technica](#), [Phys.org](#), [Mirror Daily](#), [Opposing Views](#), [International Business Times](#), [Mother Jones](#), [Think Progress](#), [Take Part](#), [Voice of America](#), [Science Recorder](#), [Science Alert](#), [Tech Times](#), [Science 2.0](#), [ZME Science](#), [Climate Home](#), [Ottawa Sun](#), [Albany Daily Star Gazette](#), [Australia Network News](#)

Kellstedt, Paul M., Suzanna Linn, and **A. Lee Hannah**. 2015. "The Usefulness of Consumer Confidence: Assessing Construct and Measurement." *Public Opinion Quarterly* 79(1):181-203.  
DOI:[10.1093/poq/nfu056](https://doi.org/10.1093/poq/nfu056)

## RESEARCH REPORT

Plutzer, Eric, **A. Lee Hannah**, Joshua Rosenau, Mark McCaffrey, Minda Berbeco, and Ann H. Reid. 2016. *Mixed Messages: How Climate Change is Taught in America's Public Schools*. Oakland, CA: National Center for Science Education. [online at <http://ncse.com/files/MixedMessages.pdf>]

OP-ED Hannah, A. Lee. 2016. "Anti-Trump Republicans Give Hope to Kasich." March 20, 2016, *Dayton Daily News*. [online at <http://www.mydaytondailynews.com/news/news/opinion/what-did-ohios-primary-mean-to-the-nation>]

WORKING PAPERS **Under Review**  
"Defiant Innovation: The Adoption of Medical Marijuana Laws in the American States." with Daniel J. Mallinson. *Revise and Resubmit*

**Working Papers**

"When Consumer Sentiment Matters: Economic Uncertainty and Consumer Spending." with Suzanna Linn and Paul Kellstedt

"A Provisions-Based Approach for Identifying and Measuring Variation in Statutory Language"

"Constructing Statutory Language Across the States: Politics, Capacity, and Learning"

UNIVERSITY  
TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

**Wright State University**

Dayton, OH

American National Government (PLS 2120)

State Government (PLS 3220)

Government of Ohio (PLS 3230)

The Legislative Process (PLS 3370)

Polarization and American Politics (PLS 3990)

Politics and the Media (PLS 4300)

2016 Presidential Election Seminar (PLS 4300)

**The Pennsylvania State University**

University Park, PA

Government and Politics of the American States (PLSC 425)

The Legislative Process (PLSC 403)

COMMENTARY &  
COMMUNITY  
ENGAGEMENT

The Electoral College and Swing State Strategies. Presented at the Dayton Bar Association, October 14, 2016.

How the Electoral College Affects Presidential Elections. Panelist at Dayton League of Women Voters Event, September 27, 2016.

Pizza, Polls, and Politics. Panelist at Dayton League of Women Voters Event, June 29, 2016.

The 2016 Presidential Election. Presented at the College of Liberal Arts Dean's Leadership Board Meeting, May 19, 2016.

Wright State Applied Policy Research Institute, "Preview of the Ohio Democratic Primary." March 15, 2016. [online at <https://liberal-arts.wright.edu/applied-policy-research-institute/blog/article/a-preview-of-the-ohio-primary-part-2>]

Wright State Applied Policy Research Institute, "Preview of the Ohio Republican Primary." March 14, 2016. [online at <https://liberal-arts.wright.edu/applied-policy-research-institute/blog/article/a-preview-of-the-ohio-primary-part-1>]

MEDIA

WDTN Dayton Channel 2 - Pre-taped commentary and live set appearances on *Five on 2 Dayton Daily News* - Commentary and analysis for articles

WYSO (Miami Valley NPR) - Commentary on WYSO Weekend and Morning Edition

WHIO Dayton Channel 7 - Pre-taped commentary

Fox 45 ABC 22 Dayton - Pre-taped commentary, live set appearances, and Facebook Live

WCPO Cincinnati Channel 9 - Online news commentary

CONFERENCE  
PARTICIPATION

*Presenter\**

The Dupont Summit: 2015  
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference: 2015  
Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2014, 2015  
Pennsylvania Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2014  
Northeastern Political Science Association Annual Conference: 2013  
State Politics and Policy Conference: 2011, 2012, 2013

*Discussant*

Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2015  
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference: 2015

*Presented by Co-Authors\**

European Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2014, 2015  
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference: 2013, 2014  
American Sociological Association Annual Conference: 2011, 2012

\* = Detailed list of conference participation available on request.

AWARDS &  
GRANTS

2015 - Penn State Center for American Political Responsiveness (CAPR) Dissertation Research Assistance Grant - \$500  
2013-2014 Penn State Denise Haunani Solomon Liberal Arts Outstanding Teaching Award for Graduate Students - \$500 (Selected from graduate instructors in 22 doctoral programs in the College of the Liberal Arts)  
2011 - Penn State Summer Tuition Grant, ICSPR - \$1,200

COMPUTER SKILLS

Advanced: Stata, R, Qualtrics, MTurk, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, SPSS  
Basic: MediaLab, DirectRT

PROFESSIONAL  
SERVICE

Reviewer - *Political Behavior*, *Journal of Economics and Politics*  
Faculty Adviser, Political Science Internships Program  
Faculty Adviser, College Republicans

ADDITIONAL  
RELEVANT  
EXPERIENCE

**Career Enrichment Network - Penn State** University Park, PA  
*Graduate Intern* 2014-2015  
Assist undergraduates interested in study abroad, internship, and research opportunities. Review and provide feedback for cover letters and resumes.

LAST UPDATED

November 5, 2016