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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EMPLOYMENT

Wright State University Dayton, OH
Assistant Professor (starting August 2015)

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

PUBLICATIONS

Plutzer, Eric, Mark McCaffrey, **A. Lee Hannah**, Joshua Rosenau, Minda Berbeco, and Ann Reid. 2016. “[Climate confusion among U.S. teachers.](#)” *Science* 351 (no. 6274): 664-5.

*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.

WORKING PAPERS

Under Review

“Defiant Innovation: The Adoption of Medical Marijuana Laws in the American States.” with Daniel J. Mallinson.

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)
Legislative Internship (PLS 4820)
Pre-Law Internship (PLS 4840)

The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

Government and Politics of the American States (PLSC 425)
The Legislative Process (PLSC 403)

AWARDS &
GRANTS

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

CONFERENCE
PARTICIPATION

*Plutzer, Eric, Mark McCaffrey, A. Lee Hannah, Joshua Rosenau, Minda Berbeco, and Ann Reid. “Mixed Messages: How Climate is Being Taught in America’s Public Schools.”
Presented at the 8th Annual Dupont Summit on Science, Technology, and Environmental Policy: Washington, DC, December 4, 2015

Linn, Suzanna, Paul M. Kellstedt, and A. Lee Hannah. “When Consumer Sentiment Matters: Outperforming Economic Indicators in Times of Political and Economic Uncertainty.”

Presented at the European Political Science Association Annual Meeting: Vienna, Austria, June 26, 2015

*Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference: Chicago, IL, April 19, 2015

Presented at the European Political Science Association Annual Meeting: Edinburgh, Scotland, June 19, 2014

Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference: Chicago, IL, April 4, 2014

*Presented at the Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting: New Orleans, LA, January 9, 2014

*Hannah, A. Lee. “Going Green: Medical Marijuana Laws in the American States.”

Presented at the Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting: New Orleans, LA, January 15-17, 2015

Discussant: Technology and Political Science panel

Chair and Discussant: Course Assessment: Strategies and Outcomes panel

*Hannah, A. Lee. “Direct Democracy and the 2014 Midterm Election.”

Presented to the Penn State Board of Visitors in the Department of Political Science: University Park, PA, November 14, 2014.

*Hannah, A. Lee. "A Provisions-Based Approach for Identifying and Measuring Variation in Statutory Language."

Presented at the Pennsylvania Political Science Association Annual Meeting: Harrisburg, PA, April 11, 2014

*Hannah, A. Lee. "Policy Implementation in Context: Inter- and Intra-state Analyses."

Presented at the Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting: New Orleans, LA, January 10, 2014

*Hannah, A. Lee. "Explaining Variation in Statutory Language Across the States."

Presented at the Northeastern Political Science Conference: Philadelphia, PA, November 15, 2013

*Hannah, A. Lee. "Identifying and Measuring Variation in Statutory Language Across the States."

Presented at the State Politics and Policy Conference hosted by The University of Iowa: Iowa City, IA, May 23, 2013

Kellstedt, Paul M., Suzanna Linn, and A. Lee Hannah. "The Dynamic Relationship between Consumers and the Macro Economy."

Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference: Chicago, IL, April 13, 2013

Alwin, Duane F., Brett Beattie, A. Lee Hannah, and Erin Marie Powell. "Race, Religion and Parental Child-rearing Values."

Presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting: Denver, CO, August 17-20, 2012

*Hannah, A. Lee. "Ballot Initiatives and Electoral Timing."

Presented at the State Politics and Policy Conference hosted by Rice University and The University of Houston: Houston, TX, February 16-18, 2012

Alwin, Duane F., Brett Beattie, A. Lee Hannah, and Erin Marie Powell. "Has Growth in the Egalitarian American Family continued into the 21st Century?"

Presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting: Las Vegas, NV, August 20-23, 2011

*Hannah, A. Lee. "A Matter of Timing: Direct Democracy and Morality Politics."

Presented at the State Politics and Policy Conference hosted by Dartmouth College: Hanover, NH, June 2-4, 2011

* = Presenter

COMPUTER SKILLS Advanced: Stata, R, Qualtrics, MTurk, L^AT_EX, SPSS
Basic: MediaLab, DirectRT

PROFESSIONAL Reviewer - *Political Behavior*, *Journal of Economics and Politics*
SERVICE Faculty Adviser, Political Science Internships Program
Member, Presidential Debate Committee

MEDIA & WDTN Five on 2, "[Super Tuesday Eve](#)." February 29, 2016. Live interview with Katie Ussin.

COMMUNITY WDTN Channel 2 News, "[Presidential dollars flow into Ohio](#)." February 19, 2016. Interviewed by Bearshelle Edme.

WDTN Channel 2 News, “[Experts weigh-in on the potential impact from Trump’s debate absence.](#)” January 29, 2016. Interviewed by Jordan Bowen.

Dayton Daily News, “[Kasich Makes Cut for Debate; Paul, Fiorina are out.](#)” January 11, 2016. Interviewed by Laura Bischoff.

Dayton Daily News, “[Region Braces for Another Potential Government Shutdown.](#)” December 9, 2015. Interviewed by Barrie Barber.

WDTN Channel 2 News, “[Trump’s Latest Remarks Draw Backlash from Local Muslim Community.](#)” December 8, 2015.

Dayton Daily News, “[Ohioans Reject Issue 3.](#)” November 3, 2015 (A1). Interviewed by Laura Bischoff.

WDTN Channel 2 News, “[Experts Say Issue 1 Would Make Elections More Competitive if Passed.](#)” October 21, 2015. Interviewed by Jordan Bowen.

WDTN Channel 2 News, “[Poll Finds 90 Percent of Ohioans Want Medical Marijuana.](#)” October 8, 2015. Interviewed by Bearshelle Edme.

WYSO Weekend, Ohio Public Radio, “[The GOP Field After the First Debate.](#)” August 31, 2015. Interviewed by Ariel Van Cleave.

WYSO Weekend, Ohio Public Radio, “[How Will Governor Kasich’s Candidacy Affect Ohioans?](#)” July 24, 2015. Interviewed by Ariel Van Cleave.

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.

The Pennsylvania State University - World Campus University Park, PA
Certificate for Online Teaching Summer 2014
Completed five online courses designed to prepare educators for online instruction

State College Area School District State College, PA
Exit Pollster June 2014
Worked with the State College Area School District in fielding an exit poll for a school project funding referendum.

The University of Alabama Faculty Resource Center Tuscaloosa, AL
eLearning Management Specialist 2009
Assisted professors and students with Blackboard and other instructional technologies including Wimba, Refworks, Tegrity, and Turnitin.

Roanoke County Public Schools Roanoke, VA
High School Teacher 2004-6; 2007-8
Courses Taught: AP Government and Politics, Modern World History, and Sociology.

Salem City Public Schools Salem, VA
High School Teacher 2006-7
Courses Taught: Ancient World History and Psychology.

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