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- King, James D. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Senate Confirmation of Executive Department Appointments," Southwestern Political Science Association, Fort Worth, Texas, March 29-31, 1990.
- Jackson, Donald W. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Financing Partisan Campaigns for Judicial Office: The 1988 Election of the Chief Justice of the Texas Supreme Court," Western Political Science Association, Newport Beach, CA, March 23, 1990.
- Jackson, Donald W. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "The Eisenhower Administration and the 1957 Civil Rights Act" presented at the Dwight D. Eisenhower Symposium, October 11-13, 1990, Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, PA.
- Riddlesperger, James W., Jr and King, James D. "Political Constraints, Leadership Style, and Environmental Limits: Assessing the Administrative Presidency of Jimmy Carter," presented at Hofstra University's Eighth Presidential Conference "Jimmy Carter: Keeping Faith," November 15, 1990.
- Jackson, Donald W. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Financing Judicial Elections in Texas: The 1988 Race for Chief Justice," Western Social Science Association, Albuquerque, NM, April 26-29, 1989.

- Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. and King, James D. "Jimmy Carter and the Administrative Presidency," Southern Political Science Association, Memphis, TN, November 2, 1989.
- Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Judicial Attitudes toward Judicial Selection: Texas and Missouri." Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, March 1988.
- Riddlesperger, James W. and Jackson, Donald W. "State Judicial Selection: Views from the Trial Judiciary in Texas and Missouri," Law and Society Association, Vail, CO, June, 1988.
- Riddlesperger, James W. "Staffing the Administrative Presidency: The Johnson Years," Southern Political Science Association, Atlanta, GA, November 5, 1988.
- Jackson, Donald W. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Search and Seizure at the Federal Circuit Level," Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, March, 1987, St. Louis, MO.
- King, James D. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Senate Confirmation of Appointments to the Cabinet and Executive Office of the President," American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, September, 1987.
- Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. and King, James D. "Elitism and Presidential Appointments," Southern Political Science Association, Charlotte, NC, November, 1987.
- Jackson, Donald W. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "The Exclusionary Rule at the Circuit Level: Geographical and Policy Patterns," Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, March, 1986, Orlando, FL.
- King, James D. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Senate Confirmation of Presidential Administrative Appointments: The Carter and Reagan Years" Southern Political Science Association, November, 1986, Atlanta, GA.
- Jackson, Donald W. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Whatever Happened to the Exclusionary Rule?: The Burger Court and the Fourth Amendment," Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, April, 1985.
- King, James D. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Presidential Appointments to Cabinet, Executive Office and White House Staff from Kennedy to

- Reagan," Western Social Science Association Annual Meeting, Fort Worth, April, 1985.
- Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Staffing the Cabinet, Executive Office and White House: Presidential Appointments from Kennedy to Reagan," Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN, November, 1985.
- Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Institutional Capability and Energy Policy Development in the American States." Southwestern Political Science Association Meeting, Fort Worth, Texas, March, 1984.
- Riddlesperger, James W. and Francis, Wayne L. "Gubernatorial Influence, Legislative Committees, and Legislative Oversight," Southern Political Science Association meeting, Savannah, GA, November, 1984.
- King, James D. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Patterns of Presidential Cabinet Recruitment from Truman to Reagan." Southwestern Political Science Association, Houston, TX, March 1983.
- Francis, Wayne L., King, James D., and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "Appeal of Policy Justifications to Legislators and Administrators in Five States,"

 Southwestern Political Science Association, Houston, March, 1983.
- King, James D. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "The Utility of Simulation in the Teaching of the Presidential Selection Process." Midwest Political Science Association, April 1981, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- Francis, Wayne L. and Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. "State Legislative Committee Systems: The Impact of Structure upon Efficiency." Southwestern Political Science Association, San Antonio, Texas, March, 1982.
- Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. and Fitzgerald, Michael R. "The Erosion of Local Autonomy and Its Effect on Local Revenue and Expenditure Patterns." Southwestern Political Science Association, Houston, Texas, April, 1980.
- Riddlesperger, James W., Jr. and King, James D. "Energy Votes in the U.S. Senate, 1969-1978." Missouri Political Science Association, Columbia, Missouri, October, 1979.
- King, James D., Riddlesperger, James W., Jr., and Casey, Gregory. "Attitudes Toward Modes of Political Participation." Midwest Association for Public Opinion Research, Chicago, Illinois, November, 1979.

Participation on panels:

Panelist, "History of the SWPSA," Southwestern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA (via Zoom), April, 2021.

Discussant, "Perspectives on Presidential Power" panel, Southwestern Political Science Association, Denver, CO, April 9, 2015.

Panelist, "The AP American and Comparative Politics Exams," American Political Science Association Teaching and Learning Conference, Washington, D.C., January 16-18, 2015.

Roundtable Member, "First Hundred Days of the Second Obama Administration," Southwestern Political Science Association, March 2013.

Chair and discussant, "Making Good Public Policy," Southwestern Political Science Association, San Diego, CA, March 2012.

Chair, "Teaching About Elections" Panel, Southwestern Political Science Association Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, March 19, 2011.

Chair and discussant, "Presidential Rhetoric and the Development of the Executive Branch," Southwestern Political Science Association Meeting, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 2008.

Roundtable Member, "The Politics of Presidential Appointments," Southwestern Political Science Association Meeting, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 2007.

Roundtable Member, "The Austin-Boston Connection in Congress," Southwestern Political Science Association Meeting, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 2007.

Chair and discussant, "The Public Presidency," Southwestern Political Science Association Meeting, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 2007.

Roundtable Member, "Changes in the Presidency," Southwestern Political Science Association Meeting, San Antonio, Texas, March 2006.

Discussant, "Service Learning," APSA Conference on Teaching and Learning in Political Science, Washington, D.C., February 19-21, 2005.

Discussant, "Evaluation: Are We Accomplishing Our Academic Goals?," Southern Political Science Association, January 9, 2004.

Attended Conference on "Politics of Fear" at the New School University, New York City, February 5-8, 2004.

Roundtable member, "Teaching Political Science in American Government," Southwestern Political Science Association Meeting, Corpus Christi, TX, March 17-20, 2004.

Roundtable member, "Teaching the Basic American Government Course," Southwestern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, April, 2002.

Panel Chair, Policy Making and the Environment Panel, Southern Political Science Association, Savanna, GA, November, 2002.

Discussant, Panel "Health Care Policy," Southwest Political Science Association, San Antonio, March 1986.

Panelist, "Advising the Pre-law Advisor" panel, Southwest Association of Pre-law advisors Annual Meeting, New Orleans, October, 1985.

Discussant, panel "Models of the Political System, Southwest Political Science Association, Fort Worth, March, 1984.

Grants:

Received: TCU/RF, "Speaker Jim Wright's Election as Majority Leader," 6/1/2006-5/31/2007, \$2150

Received: TCU/RF, "President Lyndon Johnson's Civil Rights," 6/1/92-5/31/93, \$430.00

Received: TCU/RF, "Judicial Attitudes Towards Judicial Selection in Texas," 6/1/86-5/31/87, \$745.00

College Board/Educational Testing Service Consulting

2011-2015--Chief Reader, United States Government and Politics Exam 2015— AP Annual Conference presentation, July, Austin, TX, "Results from the 2015 U.S. Government and Politics Exam."

2014—AP Annual Conference presentation, July, Philadelphia, PA, "Results from the 2014 U.S. Government and Politics Exam."

- 2013—AP Annual Conference presentations, July, Las Vegas, NV, "Results from the 2013 U.S. Government and Politics Exam," "When They Say the Issue Is Federalism, It Isn't."
- 2012--AP Annual Conference presentations, July, Orlando, FL: "Results from the 2012 U.S. Government and Politics Exam," "Leadership and the American Presidency."
- 2010--Chief Reader Designate
- 2009--Faculty Leader, College Board AP Colloquium in Chicago
- 2008--Senior Reviewer, College Board AP U.S. Government and Politics Course, College Board
- 2008--Professional Night Speaker, U. S. Government and Politics Reading, Daytona Beach, Florida, June 5
- 2008--Presenter, College Board AP Conference, Richardson, Texas, February 16
- 2002-2010--Question Leader, AP Reading, US Government and Politics Exam
- 2002--Leader, Faculty Consultant Training, College Board National Conference, Chicago, III, July 22
- 2000-2001, 2017--Table Leader, AP Reading, US Government and Politics Exam 1997-1999 Reader, AP Reading, US Government and Politics Exam
- 1995-present--Faculty Leader, U.S Government, TCU AP Summer Institute, Speaker at AP Institutes at SMU, Rice, and UT San Antonio

Professional Service

Department service:

1989-1992, 2000-2006--Department Chair

Service on committees each year since 1982, including Coordinator of Academic Advisement, Department Advisory Committee, Department Recruitment Committee, Department Assessment Committee, Department Personnel Committee, Department Self Study Committee, Department Curriculum Committee

2002-2004, 2006-2015 Coordinator, Jim Wright Symposium

Committees:

2015-present—member TCU Press Advisory Board

2012-2015--Member, Honors College Faculty Advisory Committee

2007-2011-- Member, Undergraduate Council,

2004-2008--Honors Week Committee

2005--Environmental Science Program Review Committee

2004-05--Participant, Vision in Action

2002-2004--Member, Student Center Advisory Board,

2000--Member, Athletics Task Force, Commission on the Future of TCU

1998-2001--Member, Graduate Council,

1998-1999--Member, University Advisory Committee,

1993-1998--Director of TCU Washington Internship Program,

Martin Luther King Scholarship Committee, Co-Chair

University Writing Committee, 1988-1990

University Council, 1988-1989

Honors Council, 1989-1992

TCU Wesley Foundation Board 1989-2020

TCU Self Study Subcommittee, "Educational Support Services/ Student Development" 1991-1992

Convener, Program Review Panel of Center for Instructional Services, Center for Academic Services, Honors Program, and Library, 1991-1992

TCU UCR Committee, 1990-1994, 2003-2005

Intercollegiate Athletics Committee, 1993-1999, chair, 1996-1999.

Member, advisory committee to select Athletic Director, 1997

Member, advisory committee to select Head Football Coach, 1997

Member, Steering Committee, NCAA Athletics Certification, 1996 and 2005

Chair, Academic Integrity Subcommittee, NCAA Athletics Certification Member, TCU Athletics Compliance Advisory Group

Member, Project Advisory Committee, Athletic Learning Center and Office complex (Justin Athletic Center)

Member, TCU Academic Appeals Committee

Chairman, Interest Groups Section, Student Organization Committee, 1988-1989

Student Groups

Faculty Sponsor, College Democrats and College Republicans, 1995-2012.

Dormitory programs, numerous dorms, numerous years

Member, panel to choose Boller Award paper during Honors Week, April, 1985.

Discussion leader at Honors Retreat: September, 1984; September, 1985; September, 1986; at Honors Escape, 1996-2007.

Freshman Residence Hall Adopt-A-Faculty Program, 1983-1985 (Second Floor, Pete Wright Dorm.)

Dorm Don, Tom Brown, Jarvis Dormitories, 1982 - 1986.

Student Development Services Activities:

Freshman Orientation Faculty Partner, 1985-present Key Note Speaker, "State of Texas Leadership Conference," June, 2001 Member, "Politics and Principles" Theme Semester Committee, 2004 Discussion Leader, Common Reading, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012

Admissions Activities:

Academic representative during recruitment of athletes for TCU sport programs: numerous times, 1985 to present

Participated in Mondays at TCU, 1983-present

TCU Today Program, Houston, February 21, 1985, and February 13, 1986; Tulsa and Oklahoma City, 1987; Amarillo, February 28, 1988; Fort Worth and San Antonio, 1989; San Antonio, February 4, 1990, Little Rock, 1995; San Antonio, February 23, 1999; San Antonio, February 12, 2002; San Antonio, 2003; San Antonio, February 8, 2005; Austin, February 25, 2005; Austin, February 12, 2006; San Antonio, March 4, 2006; Austin, Texas, February 25, 2007; San Antonio, March 18, 2007.

Honors Collegium discussion leader, February, 1987

TCU Representative at Lincoln High School College Day, 1992

"Magic in the Metroplex" September 25, 2001, April 24, 2002, March 27, 2003, April 4, 2005; March 6, 2007; October 2, 2007, March 4, 2008, March 3, 2009, April 13, 2010

Featured Speaker, Transfer Admissions Event, April 4, 2004, February 18, 2008

Speaker, Admissions luncheon, July 22, 2005

Alumni Association Activities:

Featured Speaker at "An Evening with a Professor" at Amarillo/Panhandle Chapter of TCU Alumni Association. Topic: Presidential Politics 1992.

Speaker, Alumni events in New York City, Short Hills, New Jersey, Connecticut, and Washington, D.C., 1996

Table Leader, "Dinner with Strangers," Alumni Association, April 24, 1998, April 23, 1999, May 13, 2005

Speaker, Alumni Association events, Longview (10/19/2000) and Austin (10/25/2000)

Speaker, Alumni Association, Dallas, Texas, April 22, 2003

Speaker, Alumni Association, San Antonio, October 26, 2006

Speaker, Alumni Association, Washington, D.C., December 9, 2007

Speaker, Alumni Association, Houston, Dallas, and Fort Worth, March and April, 2008

Speaker, "Mystery Dinner," Alumni Association, February 26, 2010

Speaker, "Lasting Lecture," Britain Society, March 23, 2010

Extended Education Activities:

Faculty leader, Duke TIP program, Fall 2004, Spring 2008, Spring 2009. Faculty leader, Texas Politics, February 21, 2008
Discussion Leader, "Reel Religion," University Christian Church, 2/8, 2008

Publications:

- "Towering Texan, Legendary Statesman: Jim Wright," *TCU Magazine*, Summer 2015.
- "Then . . . and Now," Fort Worth Star Telegram, February 17, 2008, p. D1, 3.
- "Unionized they stand?," Fort Worth Star Telegram, September 4, 2007, pp. E1, 4.
- "How Did Politics Affect the Relief Effort, TCU Magazine, Winter 2005, p. 45.
- "And the Winner Is . . ." TCU Magazine, Fall 2004, p. 29.
- "Really, Why Bother?," Fort Worth Star Telegram, July 25, 2004, pp. E1, 4.
- "What is Ethical Leadership?" TCU Magazine, Spring 2004, p. 20

Community activities:

Selected Invited Lectures:

- 2021—"The Elections of 2020, 2022," Fort Worth ISD Teachers Welcome Back Teacher Workshop, August 10
- 2020—"Evaluating Texas Governors," Texas Community College Teachers Association, February 29
- 2019—"Evaluating American Presidents," Universidad de Guanajuato, Guanajuato, Mexico, March 7-9
- 2018—"The Daily Me, Polarization, and Trump," Clemson University, Clemson, South Carolina, February 8
- 2017--Joint Appellate Lawyer Seminar, "Elbridge Gerry's Salamander: Artful Redistricting and the Courts," Fort Worth, Texas, November 2.
- 2017--Davis Family Foundation Lecture on the U.S. Constitution, Country Day School, Fort Worth, TX, Executive Orders 101, April 24.
- 2016--Identity Politics, E-mails, and Insults: Presidential Politics in 2016, Tarleton State University, Stephenville, TX, October 26

- 2015— JFK Civil Rights Panel, Fort Worth Opera, Dallas Martin Luther King, Jr. Center and I.M. Terrell High School, November 18 and 19.
- 2014-- Memorable Texas Elections, Fort Worth Public Library, November 1.
- 2013—"Some History of the Texas Congressional Delegation," University of North Texas, Higher Education Law Conference, March 26.
- 2012—featured speaker, "Participate: It's Your Fort Worth," AddRan College and City of Fort Worth, December 8.
- 2011-Constitution Day Lecture, University of the Incarnate Word, September.
- 2011--"The Austin-Boston Connection," Poage Lecture, Baylor University
 March 24
- 2010—"How to Get the Most Out of Your Undergraduate Experience," Council on Legal Education Opportunity, Texas Wesleyan Law School, September 25
- 2009—"The Significance of the 2008 Election," Paul Boller Symposium, TCU, November 10.
- 2009--Constitution Day Lecture, University of the Incarnate Word, September.
- 2009--"The Austin-Boston connection," Friends of Sam Rayburn, Bonham, TX, November 19.
- 2008— Professional Night Speaker, AP Reading, Daytona Beach, FLA, "Civic Responsibility, Voting, and the New Citizenship," June 5.
- 2008—"From 1968 to 2008, Politics in America in Our Time," Keynote Speaker, Chancellor's Employee Appreciation Breakfast, Tarrant County College, August 21.
- 2004—"America's Role in the World," Tarrant County College, October 6
- 1999--"Sam Rayburn: The Legacy," Texas A&M Commerce, April 6, 1999
- 1992—"Political Science at North Texas, Some History and Memories," Pi Sigma Alpha Banquet, University of North Texas, April 24.

- 1991--"The Presidency of George Bush," Angelo State University, November 20.
- 1990--Speaker, Fort Worth League of Women Voters, "Reforming Judicial Selection in Texas," 1990
- 1987--Speaker, Texas Library Association, "First Amendment and Original Intent: Putting Words into the Mouths of the Founding Fathers,"
 October 24.
- 1987--Lecturer, Tarrant County Junior College, "Bicentennial of the Constitution."

I average 40-50 presentations outside my assigned classes each year.

I have given invited lectures at the following universities, some of them multiple times: University of Missouri-Columbia, University of North Texas, Texas Christian University, Southern Methodist University, Baylor University Tarrant County College, University of the Incarnate Word, Rice University, University of Texas-San Antonio, Angelo State University, Columbia College, Texas A&M University—Commerce, Tarleton State University, Universidad de Guanajuato, Incarnate Word University Campus Bajio.

I have given invited lectures at the following secondary schools, some of them multiple times: All Saints Episcopal School, Allen High School, Arlington Heights High School, Country Day School, Eastern Hills High School, Boswell High School, Episcopal School of Dallas, Flower Mound High School, North Side High School, MacArthur High School, Nimitz High School, Paschal High School, Plano West High School, Trimble Tech High School, Trinity Valley School

I have spoken to the following civic clubs, many of them multiple times: Fort Worth Downtown Rotary Club, Southside Rotary Club, Golden Spike Kiwanis Club, Fort Worth Women's Clubs, Women's Policy Forum, Fort Worth Optimist Club, Fort Worth Humanists.

I have spoken to groups at the following places of worship, many of them numerous times: First United Methodist Church, Fort Worth, First United Methodist Church, Denton, Broadway Baptist Church, Ridgelea Presbyterian Church, Jefferson Unitarian Universalist Church, University Christian Church, Arborlawn United Methodist Church, Temple Beth El, White's Chapel United Methodist Church, Genesis United Methodist Church, First Presbyterian Church, Fort Worth

Media Interviews

Newspapers: New York Times, Washington Post, Times of London, Christian Science Monitor, Austin American Statesman, Texas Tribune, Dallas Morning News, Houston Chronicle, San Antonio Express-News, Denton Record Chronicle, Associated Press, McClatchy News, Bloomsberg, Waco Tribune Herald, Fort Worth Business Press, Fort Worth Star Telegram, Fort Worth Weekly and others.

Radio: National Public Radio, Texas Standard, Texas AP Network, 1984, KLIF, KRLD, WBAP, KERA and others

TV: KXAS, KERA, KDFW, WFAA, KTVT and others.

Featured Speaker, Texas AP Broadcasters Convention, Odessa, TX, April 30, 1988

Member, Textbook selection committee, Fort Worth ISD, 2002

Courses Taught

Introduction to Political Science
American and Texas Government
Issues in American Politics
Congress and the Presidency
The Public Agenda
Politics of Freedom and Order: A Freshman Seminar
Civic Literacy

Scope and Methods of Political Science Topics in Research Methods Survey Research Methods

Political Parties and Campaigns
Comparative State Politics
Political Parties
Washington Internship
American Politics in Film
Perennial Issues in American Politics
The Watergate Legacy in American Politics
Capstone in Political Science

Congress and Legislative Policy-making

Presidential Leadership
Campaigns and Elections
Interest Groups and Collective Action
Texas Politics
Texas Congressional Leaders
Texas Political Leaders

Energy Policy Public Policy Health Policy

Memberships in professional organizations:

American Political Science Association.

Southern Political Science Association.
Section Chair, Executive Politics, 2008

Southwestern Political Science Association

President, 2010-2011

Member, Executive Committee, 1995-1998, 2009-2012

Chair, Ted Robinson Award Committee for best paper submitted examining minority politics, 2009

Section Chair, Executive and Legislative Politics, 2007

Section chair, institutions and political organization section,

Southwestern Political Science Association, Houston, Texas, 1988.

Member, Local Arrangements Committee, Southwestern Social Science Association, 1983-1984.

Southwest Association of Pre-law Advisors.

Co-Program Chair for Southwestern Association of Pre-Law Advisors for 1986 Meeting in Dallas.

Assisted in planning the Pre-law fair at TCU, October 7, 1984.

Honors and Awards:

Chancellor's Award for Creative Teaching and Research, TCU, 2017 Connections Hero, First winner, TCU, 2014

Chief Reader, College Board U.S. Government AP Exam, 2011-2015 Honors Professor of the Year, TCU, 2012

Book, Lone Star Leaders, selected as a featured book for the Texas Book Festival, 2011

President, Southwestern Political Science Association, 2010-2011

Nominee, EECU Inspirational Professor Award, 2009

AddRan College, Social Science Division, Award for Creative Teaching and Research, 2008

Honorary Membership, Golden Key Honor Society, 2005

Nominee, "Most Inspiring Teacher" Award, Panhellenic Association, 2001

Profiled in "Hail to the Chief," TCU Magazine, Summer, 1997

Nominee, Best Paper Award, Southwestern Political Science Association, 1997

Aaron Wildavsky Book Award from the Policy Studies Organization

Dean's Teaching Award, 1996

Social Science Nominee, Burlington Northern Teaching Award

Who's Who in South and Southwest, 1986.

Mortar Board Preferred Prof., numerous times, TCU

Senior Appreciation Awards, numerous times, TCU

Exceptional Honors Professor, several times, TCU

Recognition by Order of Omega and Student Foundation, TCU

Outstanding Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science, University of Missouri, 1979.

Pi Sigma Alpha