

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## CHARLES M. CAMERON

305 Robertson Hall  
Princeton University  
Princeton, New Jersey 08544-1013

609-258-2757 (office)  
917-603-1537 (home)  
609-258-5014 (fax)  
ccameron@princeton.edu

### EDUCATION

Ph.D., Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University, May 1988 (Dissertation Adviser: R. Douglas Arnold)  
M.P.A., Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University, May 1981  
B.A., Austin College, Sherman, Texas, 1976

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### *Academic Appointments*

Professor of Politics and Public Affairs, Department of Politics and Woodrow School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey, July 1, 2004--  
Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, June 1995-June 30, 2004 (tenured 1997)  
Associate Professor and Director of M.P.A. Program, School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University, September 2001-2004  
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, July 1989-May 1995  
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, SUNY at Stony Brook, January 1988-June 1989  
Lecturer, Department of Political Science, SUNY at Stony Brook, September 1985-December 1987  
Preceptor, Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University

#### *Other*

Research Assistant, Ford Foundation Grant "Evaluating the Reagan Domestic Program," Richard P. Nathan, Director, Princeton Urban and Regional Research Center, Princeton University, September 1981-June 1982  
Policy Analyst, Office of Legislation and Congressional Affairs, Office of Legislation and Policy, Health Care Financing Administration, DHHS, June 1980-August 1980

Research Assistant, NIMH Grant, "Innovation and Decision Making in Mental Health Policy," Robert Rich, Project Director, October 1979-December 1980  
Director of Planning, Oklahoma Health Planning Commission, October 1978-August 1979  
Assistant Health Planner, Oklahoma Health Planning Commission, September 1976-September 1978

## HONORS AND AWARDS

Scheduled Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, California  
Visiting Research Scholar, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics, Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University, 2003-2004.  
2001 Fenno Prize (Best Book on Legislative Studies published in 2000, American Political Science Association [for *Veto Bargaining*])  
2001 Riker Award (Best Book on Political Economy published in 2000, American Political Science Association [for *Veto Bargaining*])  
Co-principal Investigator, NSF Grant, Law and Social Science Program, NSF Number 0079952, "Strategic Defiance of the U.S. Supreme Court," 2001-2003  
National Fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University, 1995-1996  
Principal Investigator, NSF Grant, Political Science Program, "Veto Bargaining and Legislative Outcomes," (SES 9223396), 1993-1994  
Consultant, NSF Grant, Law and Social Science Program, "The Hierarchy of Justice: A Principal-Agent Perspective on the Superior Court-Circuit Court Interaction," Jeffrey Segal, Principal Investigator, (SES 9112755) 1992  
Additional PI, NSF Grant, Law and Social Science Program, "A Neoinstitutional Theory of Senate Voting on Supreme Court Justices," Jeffrey Segal and Albert Cover, Co-principal Investigators, (SES 8812935) 1988  
Research Fellow, Governmental Studies Program, The Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C., 1983-1984  
National Science Foundation Dissertation Grant, Regulation and Policy Analysis Program, 1983-1986  
Graduation with Distinction, 1981 (top 5% of M.P.A. class)  
Public Service Fellowship, Princeton University, 1979-1981  
Finalist, Danforth Fellowship Competition, 1975-1976  
National Merit Award, 1972-1976

## PUBLICATIONS

### *Books*

*Veto Bargaining: Presidents and the Politics of Negative Power.* Cambridge University Press, Political Economy of Institutions and Decisions Series (James Alt and Douglass North editors), 2000.

*Articles*

- "Bargaining and Opinion Assignment on the U.S. Supreme Court," (with Jeffrey Lax), *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization* (forthcoming 2007).
- "Decision Rules in a Judicial Hierarchy,"(with Lewis A. Kornhauser), *Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics*, 161(2), 264-292 (2005).
- "Models of Vetoes and Veto Bargaining," (with Nolan McCarty), *Annual Review of Political Science*, Volume 7: 409-435 (2004).
- "The Polarized Presidency," *Presidential Studies Quarterly* (invited essay, 2003).
- "Strategic Auditing in a Political Hierarchy: An Informational Model of the Supreme Court's Certiorari Decisions," (with Jeffrey Segal and Donald Songer) *American Political Science Review* 94(1): 101-116 (March 2000).
- "Veto Threats: Testing a Formal Theory of Rhetoric in Political Bargaining," (with John Lapinski and Charles Riemann), *Journal of Politics* (2000).
- "Divided Government and the Legislative Productivity of Congress, 1945-1994" (with William Howell, Scott Adler, and Charles Riemann). *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 25(2):285-312 (May 2000).
- "Do Majority-Minority Districts Maximize Black Substantive Representation in Congress?" (with David Epstein and Sharyn O'Halloran), *American Political Science Review*, December 1996
- "Ideological Values and the Votes of U.S. Supreme Court Justices Revisited," (with Segal, Lee Epstein, and Harold Spaeth) *Journal of Politics*, 57(3):812-823 (August 1995)
- "An Empirical Test of the Rational-Actor Theory of Litigation," (with Segal and Songer), *Journal of Politics*, 57(4):1119-29 (November 1995)
- "The Hierarchy of Justice: Testing a Principal-Agent Model of Supreme Court-Circuit Court Interactions," (with Donald Songer and Jeffrey Segal), *American Journal of Political Science*, 38(3):673-693 (August 1994)
- "A Signaling Theory of Congressional Oversight," (with B. Peter Rosendorff), *Games and Economic Behavior* (special issue on game theoretic models of politics, Jeffrey Banks and Roger Myerson, editors) 5:44-70 (1993).
- "Asymmetric Policy Effects, Campaign Contributions, and the Spatial Theory of Elections," (with James Enelow), *Mathematical and Computer Modelling*

(invited paper, special issue on political science, Paul Johnson, ed.) 16(8/9):117-132 (1992)

"Elections and the Theory of Campaign Contributions," (with Rebecca Morton), *Economics and Politics*, 4:79-108 (March 1992)

"A Spatial Model of Roll Call Voting: Senators, Constituents, Presidents, and Interest Groups in Supreme Court Confirmations," (with Jeffrey Segal and Albert Cover) *American Journal of Political Science*, 36(1):96-121 (February 1992)

"Senate Voting on Supreme Court Nominees: A Neoinstitutional Model," (with Segal and Cover) *American Political Science Review*, 84(2):525-534 (June 1990)

"Senate Confirmation of Supreme Court Justices: The Role of Ideology in Senate Confirmation of Supreme Court Justices," (with Segal and Cover) *Kentucky Law Journal* 77(3):485-504 (1988)

#### *Book Chapters*

*Quantitative Models and Methods: A Tour of the Social Sciences*, Andrew Gelman (ed.) Cambridge UP, 2007. 3 chapters on quantitative political science.

"A Primer on the President's Legislative Program," in *Presidential Leadership: The Vortex of Power*, Bert Rockman and Richard Waterman (eds), Roxbury Press, forthcoming, 2007.

"The Political Economy of the U.S. Presidency," *The Handbook of Political Economy*, Barry Weingast and Donald Wittman editors, Oxford University Press, 2006.

"Congress and the Macropolitics of Telecommunications Policy," with Grace Roegner Freedman, *The Macropolitics of Congress*, Scott Adler and John Lapinski (editors), Princeton University Press, 2006.

"Appeals Mechanisms, Litigant Selection, and the Structure of Judicial Hierarchies," with Lewis Kornhauser, *Institutional Games and the U.S. Supreme Court*, edited by Jon Bond, Roy Flemming, and James Rogers, University of Virginia Press, 2006.

"Endogenous Preferences about Courts: A Theory of Judicial State Building in the Nineteenth Century," in *Preferences Through Time*, Ira Katznelson and Barry Weingast (editors), Russell Sage Foundation (2005).

"Presidential Studies Meets Public Administration: Discussion of 'The President and the Bureaucracy in the United States'," in *The Evolution of Political Knowledge*, Edward Mansfield and Richard Sesson (eds) (2004).

“Formal Theory Meets Data,” (with Rebecca Morton), invited review essay for the American Political Science Association’s *The State of the Discipline*, Ira Katznelson and Helen Milner (eds), W.W. Norton (2002).

“Judicial Independence: How Can You Tell It When You See It? And, Who Cares?” in Steve Burbank and Barry Friedman (eds), *Judicial Independence at the Crossroads*, Sage Publications (2002).

“Presidential Reputation and Bargaining,” in *Presidential Power: Forging the Presidency for the 21st Century*, Larry Jacobs, Martha Kuma, and Robert Y. Shapiro (eds), Columbia University Press, 2000.

"Decision Making on the U.S. Courts of Appeals," (with Jeffrey Segal and Donald Songer) in *Contemplating Courts*, CQ Press, Lee Epstein, editor, 1995

*Reductions in U.S. Domestic Spending: How They Affect State and Local Governments*, John W. Ellwood ed., Transaction Books, 1982 (sections on health care financing, health block grants, and education)

#### **WORKING PAPERS**

“Endogenous Cost Lobbying: Theory and Evidence,” with John de Figueiredo, manuscript, Center for Law and Public Affairs, Princeton University, 2006 (under review).

#### **WORK IN PROGRESS**

*The Politics of Supreme Court Nominations*, book manuscript, with Jee-Kwang Park.

*Analyzing Courts: An Introduction to Law and Politics*, book manuscript under contract with Norton)

“Law Creation by a Team of Judges,” with Lewis Kornhauser

“A Theory of Case Assignment on the U.S. Supreme Court: With Evidence From Warren to Rehnquist,” with Jeffrey Lax

“Divided Government and the Politics of Scandals: The Case of Supreme Court Nominations 1876-2000,” with Jeffrey Segal

“Diversity and Judicial Decision-Making: Evidence from Affirmative Action Cases in the Federal Courts of Appeals, 1971-1999,” with Craig Cummings

“Bargaining With Mr. Hobbes,” (with Brian Barry), manuscript, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics, Princeton University (April 2004)

“Riot Games: A Theory of Collective Political Violence,” with Sunita Parikh

## PRESENTATIONS

### *Forthcoming*

“Endogenous Cost Lobbying,” Political Economy Seminar, Department of Political Science, UCLA (January 2006); Conference on Institutions, Politics and Corporate Governance, Hitotsubashi University, Tokyo Japan, March 2006.

“Law Creation by a Team of Judges,” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2006.

### *2005*

“Endogenous Cost Lobbying,” Department of Economics, University of Palermo, Italy, March 2005; Political Economy Seminar, the Ohio State University, March, 2005.

“The Structure of Judicial Hierarchies,” School of Law, University of Palermo, Italy, March 2005.

“Law Creation by a Team of Judges,” Northwestern University School of Law, May, 2005.

“Empirical Analysis of Formal Models of Judicial Institutions,” series of invited lectures, Department of Political Science, Washington University (St. Louis), NSF sponsored course on “Empirical Implications of Formal Models,” June 23-27, 2005.

“Modeling Law: Theoretical Implications of Empirical Models,” (with Lewis Kornhauser), Conference on Modeling Law, NYU School of Law, October 2005.

### *2004*

“Bargaining with Mr. Hobbes,” Center for Political Economy, Washington University, St. Louis, March 13-15, 2004

“Formal Theory Meets Data – Again,” Invited Keynote Lecture, EITM Summer Courses, Washington University (St. Louis), June 30, 2004

### *2003*

“Empirical Analysis of Formal Models of Judicial Institutions,” series of invited lectures, Department of Political Science, Washington University (St. Louis), NSF sponsored course on “Empirical Implications of Formal Models,” June 23-27, 2003

“Diversity and Judicial Decision-Making: Evidence from Affirmative Action Cases in the Federal Courts of Appeals, 1971-1999” with Craig Cummings: Midwest Political Science Association, April 2-4 2003, Conference on Crafting and Operating Institutions, Yale University, April 4-6, 2003 (invited paper).

“The Politics of Scandals,” Department of Politics, Princeton University, January 2003; Law and Society Program, New York University, April 8, 2003; Department of

Political Science, Texas A&M University, November 2003, Duke University November 2003, Government Department, Harvard University (date).  
“Bargaining and Case Assignment on the U.S. Supreme Court: Theory and Evidence,” (with Jeffrey Lax), Department of Politics, New York University; Political Economy Seminar, Department of Economics, Columbia University; CSDP Seminar, Princeton University, November 2003.

#### 2002

“American Courts and the American Congress,” invited lectures for members of the Mexican Chamber of Deputies and Senate, CIDE, Mexico City, October 11-12  
Conference on Congress and History, Columbia University, June 7-8, 2002 (discussant)  
“Scaling the Supreme Court,” and “Case Assignment on the U.S. Supreme Court: Theory and Evidence,” (with Jeffrey Lax) Midwest Political Science Association, April 25, 2002  
“Preferences about Institutions: Building the Judicial State 1789-1925,” Russell Sage Foundation, Third Conference on History and Politics, April 12, 2002  
“The Politics of Scandals,” Department of Political Science, University of Michigan, March 7, 2002.

#### 2001

“Appeals Mechanisms, Litigant Selection, and the Structure of Judicial Hierarchies,” (with Lewis Kornhauser), Conference on Institutional Games and the United States Supreme Court (invited paper), Texas A&M University, November 1-3, 2001.  
“The Strategic Use of Scandals,” Centro de Investigacion y Docencia Economicas (CIDE), Mexico City, Mexico, October 12, 2001.  
“Case Assignment on the U.S. Supreme Court: Theory and Evidence,” (with Jeffrey Lax), American Political Science Association Meetings, August 2001.  
“Congress and Telecommunications Policy,” Conference on the Macropolitics of Congress, University of Colorado, June 2001.  
Special Panel on *Veto Bargaining* (participant), Midwest Political Science Association, April 19-22  
“Judicial Independence: What Is It Good For?” American Judicature Society/Brennan Center for Justice at NYU Law School, Conference on Judicial Independence at the Crossroads, University of Pennsylvania School of Law, March 31-April 1 2001.

#### *Prior to 2001*

Approximately seventy conference papers and presentations at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, the Midwest Political Science Association, the Public Choice Society, the Econometric Society, the European Public Choice Society, the Law and Economics Society, the Law and Society Association, and the American Public Policy and Management Society meetings, and invited seminars at the University of California at Berkeley (Political Science Department and School of Business), Harvard University (Department of Government), New York University (Department of Politics and School of Law), the Ohio State University (Political Science Department), Princeton

University (Department of Politics), University of Rochester (W. Allen Wallis Institute of Political Economy), Russell Sage Foundation, University of Southern California Law School, Stanford University (Hoover Institution/GSB Political Economy Seminar), Washington University (Political Economy Program), and Yale University Law School, among others.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

### *Professional*

Editorial Board, *American Journal of Political Science*, 2002-

Fenno Prize Selection Committee, 2002

APSA Paper Award Committee, Law and Courts Section, 1999-2000

Section Chair, Formal Theory, Midwest Political Science Association 1999

Neustadt Award Committee, 1998, Presidential Studies Section, American Political Science Association

Reviewer, National Science Foundation (various years), Russell Sage Foundation (various years)

Reviewer, *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Economics and Politics*, *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Theoretical Politics*, *Law and Society Review*, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, *Political Analysis*, *Western Political Quarterly/Political Research Quarterly*

Chair of panels, American Political Science Association Annual Meetings (various years), Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meetings (various years), Annual Meeting of the Public Choice Society (various dates)

Discussant on panels, American Political Science Association Meetings (most years since 1990), Annual Meeting of the Public Choice Society (various years), Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association (various years), Annual Meeting of American Economics Association (1992)

### *University-wide (Columbia)*

Tenure Review Advisory Committee, 2003-04

Minority Affairs Advisory Committee 1999-2003

Ad Hoc Committees: 1998, two committees, 1999 one committee, 2000 one committee (chair), 2002 two committees

Freshman/Sophomore Adviser, Columbia College, 1990-1995

Oxford/Cambridge Exchange Program Review Committee, Columbia College, 1990

### *Departmental (Princeton)*

MPP Admissions Committee 2005-2006

Junior Summer Institute, faculty advisor, 2005

Search Committees: American Politics (senior & junior); International Law (WWS and Politics Department, senior) 2004-2005, 2005-2006; Comparative Politics (WWS, open rank) 2004-2005

Third year reappointment committee (Chair), 2004

Field III Advisor (MPA Program, WWS), 2004-5



MPP Advisory Committee 2005

*Departmental (Columbia)*

Graduate Student Recruitment Coordinator, Admissions Committee, Fellowship Committee, 2000

Advisor for Political Economy, 1997-1999

Departmental Adviser, Department of Political Science, 1991-present

Dissertation Proposal Review Committee, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, 1996-98, 1990-91

Placement Director, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, 1996-97, 1991-95

Coordinator, American Politics Comprehensive Exams, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, 1991-1994

Comprehensive Exam Reading List, 1991 and 1993

Graduate Fellowship Committee, Department of Political Science, 1993

Minority Student Recruitment Effort, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, 1991-92

Search Committees: American Politics (junior) 2001-02; Comparative Politics (senior), American Politics (senior), IR/Quantitative, 1997-98; International Political Economy, 1994-95; American Politics, 1990-91; IR Methodology/ Public Administration, SIPA, 1990-91

SUNY-Stony Brook: coordinator of political economy program, 3 search committees

*School of International and Public Affairs (Columbia)*

Director of MPA Program, 2001-2003

Search Committees: Directed or assisted in the successful recruitment of six tenured or tenure-track faculty and one professor in the practice of public and international finance.

## **GRADUATE STUDENT MENTORING AND ADVISING**

Scott Adler (Colorado), Sean Farhang (UC Berkeley), William Howell (Harvard), John Lapinski (Yale), Jeffrey Lax (Columbia), Bumba Mookerjee (Florida State), Rose Razaghian (Yale), Eric Reinhardt (Emory), Peter Rosendorff (USC), Shylashri Shankar (University of Texas at Austin)

Current Advisees: Tom Clark (Princeton), John (Columbia).

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

Introduction to American Politics (undergraduate)

Theories and Debates in American Politics (graduate survey course in American politics)

Political Environment of Public Affairs (core political analysis course for MPA students)

Domestic Politics (core course for MPA students)

The Political Environment of the Law (for J.D. students)

Introduction to Judicial Politics (graduate and undergraduate)

Congress: Foundations of Institutional Analysis (graduate and undergraduate)  
American Presidential System (graduate)  
Executive Institutions (graduate)  
Game Theory and Political Theory (first semester graduate and undergraduate)  
Advanced Game Theory (second semester graduate)  
The Separation of Powers System (graduate)  
Mathematics for Political Scientists (graduate)  
Theories of Policy Making (graduate)  
Workshop in Public Policy (M.P.A. course)  
Junior Seminar: Experimental Methods in Political Science  
Senior Seminar: History and Politics of the Supreme Court  
Senior Seminar: Topics in Political Economics  
Senior Seminar: Politics of Supreme Court Nominations (undergraduate)  
Senior Seminar: Politics of Policy Making (undergraduate)  
Policy Analysis and Program Evaluation (for M.P.A. students)  
Introduction to Rational Politics (undergraduate)  
Health Politics and Policy Making (undergraduate)  
Urban Politics (undergraduate)

## REFERENCES

R. Douglas Arnold (Princeton University); David Austen-Smith (Northwestern University); Gregory Caldeira, (The Ohio State University); Robert Erikson (Columbia University); Lee Epstein (University of Washington-St. Louis); John Ferejohn (Stanford University); Ira Katznelson (Columbia University); Lewis Kornhauser (New York University School of Law); Keith Krehbiel (Stanford University Graduate School of Business); David Mayhew (Yale University); Rebecca Morton (New York University); Jeffrey Segal (SUNY Stony Brook); Kenneth Shepsle (Harvard University); Barry Weingast (Stanford University).

November 2006