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### EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science, University of Washington, Expected August 2012

Dissertation: *The Dynamics of Party Competition: Issues and Conflict in American Politics*  
Committee: Peter J. May (Chair), Bryan D. Jones, John Wilkerson, and Mark A. Smith  
Fields: Public Policy Processes (distinction), American Politics, Political Methodology  
Ph.D. Concentration in Public Policy and Management, 2010, Evans School of Public Affairs

M.A., Political Science, University of Washington, 2009

B.A., Political Science & Psychology, University of Washington, 2006

### ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Research Analyst, Center on Reinventing Public Education, University of Washington, March 2012—  
Present

### PUBLICATIONS

#### Refereed Articles

Jochim, Ashley E., and Bryan D. Jones. Forthcoming. "Can Issue Politics Survive in a Polarized Congress? Roll Call Voting in the House of Representatives." *Political Research Quarterly*.  
\*\*Winner of the Pi Sigma Alpha Award for Best Paper at the 2009 Southern Political Science Association, Nominated for Patrick J. Fett Award for Best Paper at the 2010 Midwest Political Science Association.

May, Peter J., Ashley E. Jochim, and Joshua Sapotichne. 2011. "Constructing Homeland Security: An Anemic Policy Regime." *Policy Studies Journal* 39(2): 285-307.

Jochim, Ashley E., and Peter J. May. 2010 "Beyond Subsystems: Policy Regimes and Governance." *Policy Studies Journal* 38(2): 303-327.

Workman, Samuel, Bryan D. Jones, and Ashley E. Jochim. 2009. "Information Processing and Policy Dynamics." *Policy Studies Journal* 37(1): 75-92.

#### Edited Volumes

Jochim, Ashley E., and Peter J. May. 2010. "Policy Regimes: Political Science Perspectives," in Taco Brandsen and Marc Holzer eds., *The Future of Governance: Selected Papers from the Fifth Transatlantic Dialogue on Public Administration*. Rutgers, NJ: National Center for Public Performance, School of Public Affairs and Administration, pp. 117-134.

Workman, Samuel, Bryan D. Jones, and Ashley E. Jochim. 2010. "Agenda Setting, Decision Theory, and American Bureaucracy." In R.F. Durant (ed.), *The Oxford Handbook of American Bureaucracy*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Hill, Paul T., and Ashley E. Jochim. 2009. "Political Perspectives on School Choice." In M. Berends, M.G. Springer, D. Ballou, & H.J. Walberg (Eds.), *Handbook of Research on School Choice*. Lawrence Erlbaum.

## **Research Reports**

Jochim (née Watson), Ashley E., and Paul T. Hill. 2008. "Mayoral Intervention: An Option for Seattle Schools?" Seattle: Center on Reinventing Public Education.

Jochim (née Watson), Ashley E., and Katharine Destler. 2008. "Quality Improvement and Performance Management in Schools: Lessons from Abroad." NCSRP Working Paper #2008-6. Seattle: Center on Reinventing Public Education.

## **Under Review**

"Electoral Competition and Latino Representation: The Partisan Politics of Immigration Policy in the 104<sup>th</sup> Congress." With Loren Collingwood, Under Review at *Legislative Studies Quarterly*.

## **Works in Progress**

"The (Issue) Evolution of Partisanship." Working paper.

"If You Can't Win, Join 'Em: Bipartisanship in a Polarized Age." In preparation

"Leveraging SEA Capacity to Manage Performance." In development

## **AWARDS, GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

### **Awards**

Pi Sigma Alpha Best Paper Award, Southern Political Science Association, 2009

Prestage-Cook Travel Award, Southern Political Science Association, 2009

### **Grants**

Dirksen Congressional Center Research Grant, \$3,453, 2011-2012

Center for Statistics and Social Sciences Research Grant, \$1000, University of Washington, 2009

Mary Gates Endowment Research Grant, University of Washington, \$4,500, 2004-2005

### **Fellowships**

Emerging Education Policy Scholars, Fordham Foundation and AEI, 2012-2014

Center for American Politics and Public Policy Fellow, University of Washington, 2006-2012

Donald R. Matthews Fellow, Department of Political Science, University of Washington, 2008-2009

Research Fellow, Center for the Study of the Presidency, 2005-2006

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

Research Assistant, September 2008 – Present, HSD-NSF Funded Project, The Shared Governance of Risk, PI: Peter J. May, University of Washington

Research Assistant, September 2004 – September 2008, Policy Agendas Project, PI: Bryan D. Jones, University of Washington

Research Assistant, September 2006 – August 2008, Center on Reinventing Public Education, PI: Paul T. Hill, University of Washington

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Teaching Interests: American politics: political parties, Congress, policy process, policy implementation, education policy

### **Instructor**

Public Policy Formation, Political Science 303, Winter 2011

### **Teaching Assistant**

Political Science as a Social Science, Political Science 205, Winter 2010

Faculty Supervisor: Shauna Fisher, Political Science Department

Statistical Inference, Psychology 318, Winter 2006

Faculty Supervisor: Laura Little, Psychology Department

Introduction to Statistics, Psychology 317, Fall 2005

Faculty Supervisor: Laura Little, Psychology Department

### **Graduate Mentor**

Pacific Earthquake and Engineering Research Center, Summer 2011

Funded by the National Science Foundation Program “Research Experience for Undergraduates”

Faculty Supervisor: Peter J. May

Undergraduate Fellows Program, Center for American Politics and Public Policy, 2005-2008

Funded by the National Science Foundation Program “Research Experience for Undergraduates”

Faculty Supervisor: Bryan D. Jones

## **PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCES**

### **Invited Presentations**

Workman, Samuel, Bryan D. Jones, and Ashley E. Jochim. 2008. “Information Processing and Policy Dynamics.” Paper presented at the *Policy Studies Journal* Symposium on the *Next Generation of Policy Theories*. University of Oklahoma. Norman, Oklahoma. February 27-29.

### **Selected Conference Participation**

Jochim, Ashley E. 2010. “Policy Responsiveness: What Happens When Issues Become Partisan.” Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, March 31-April 3, Chicago, IL.

May Peter J., Ashley E. Jochim, and Barry Pump. 2010. “Messy Policy Problems.” Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Conference. September 2-5, Washington, DC.

Jochim, Ashley E., and Bryan D. Jones. 2010. “Still Searching for Equilibria: Roll Call Voting Through Time and Issues.” Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, April 22-25, Chicago, IL.

May, Peter J., Ashley E. Jochim, and Barry Pump. 2010. “Messy Policy Problems.” Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, April 22-25, Chicago, IL.

Glosser, Asaph and Ashley E. Jochim. 2009. “The Politics of Attention: Reconsidering Agency Termination.” Paper presented at the Association for Public Policy and Management Conference, November 3-6, Washington, DC.

- Jochim, Ashley E., and Peter J. May. 2009. "Policy Regimes and Governance." Paper presented at the Association for Public Policy and Management Conference, November 3-6, Washington, DC.
- May, Peter J., Ashley E. Jochim, and Joshua Sapotichne. 2009. "Addressing Messy Problems: Policy Regimes and Governance." Paper presented at the Public Management Research Association Conference, October 1-2, Columbus, OH.
- Jochim, Ashley E. 2009. "Ideas, Interests, and the Evolution of Federal Education Policy." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2-5, Chicago, IL.
- Workman, Samuel, Ashley E. Jochim, and Michelle Wolfe. 2009. "Signaling and Influence: The GAO, CBO and Congressional Attention to the Federal Bureaucracy." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, January 7-10, New Orleans, LA.
- Jochim, Ashley E., and Bryan D. Jones. 2009. "The Dimensionality of Roll Call Votes Reconsidered." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, January 7-10, New Orleans, LA. *Received Pi Sigma Alpha Best Paper Award.*
- May, Peter J., Ashley E. Jochim, and Joshua Sapotichne. 2008. "Policy Regimes and Governance: Constructing Homeland Security." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Public Policy and Management, November 6-8, Los Angeles, CA.
- Workman, Samuel, Ashley E. Jochim, and Michelle Wolfe. 2008. "Signaling and Influence: The GAO, CBO and Congressional Attention to the Federal Bureaucracy." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 27-31, Boston, MA.
- Jochim, Ashley E., and Katharine Destler. 2008. "Building Capacity for Change: Collaborative Planning and Networks as Policy Tools." Paper presented at the Consortium on Collaborative Governance Mini-Conference, April 10-12, Santa Monica, California.

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Research Analyst, June 2004 – September 2006

U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Office for Civil Rights

- Assessed Head Start grantees' compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973
- Investigated civil rights and privacy complaints
- Reviewed the civil rights portion of applications to participate in the Medicare program

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **Associations**

American Political Science Association

Public Policy Section

Legislative Studies Section

Midwest Political Science Association

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management

Public Management Research Association

**Service**

Reviewer for Academic Journal  
*American Journal of Political Science*  
*Policy Studies Journal*  
*Political Research Quarterly*  
*Journal of Public Policy*

**Award Committee**

Member MPSA Best Undergraduate Poster Award Committee (2010)

**REFERENCES**

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