

# RYAN DETAMBLE

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## APPOINTMENTS

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**Assistant Professor of Political Science** | *Primary Field: American Politics* Aug. 2024 – Present  
Oklahoma State University Stillwater, OK

## EDUCATION

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**Ph.D. in Political Science** | *Primary Field: American Politics* Aug. 2018 – May 2024  
American University | Dissertation: The Politics of Personal Competitiveness Washington, D.C.  
Committee: David C. Barker, Marc J. Hetherington, Jan E. Leighley and Andrew R. Flores

**B.S. Political Science (summa cum laude)** | *Minors: Economics and Psychology* Aug. 2014 – May 2018  
Texas Christian University Fort Worth, TX

## PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH PROJECTS

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### Refereed Journal Articles

- Barker, David C., Ryan DeTamble, and Morgan Marietta. 2022. "Intellectualism, Anti-Intellectualism, and Epistemic Hubris in Red and Blue America." *American Political Science Review*, 116(1): 38-53. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0003055421000988>
- Ballard, Andrew, Ryan DeTamble, Spencer Dorsey, Michael Heseltine, and Marcus Johnson. 2022. "Incivility in Congressional Tweets." *American Politics Research*, 50(6): 769-780. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1532673X221109516>
- Barker, David C., and Ryan DeTamble. 2022. "American Populism: Dimensions, Distinctions, and Correlates." *Global Public Policy and Governance*, 2: 22-46. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s43508-022-00033-2>
- Ballard, Andrew O., Ryan DeTamble, Spencer Dorsey, Michael Heseltine, and Marcus Johnson. 2022. "Dynamics of Polarizing Rhetoric in Congressional Tweets." *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 48(1): 105-144. <https://doi.org/10.1111/lsq.12374>

### Book Chapters

- Barker, David C., Morgan Marietta, and Ryan DeTamble. 2021. "American Hubris: The Politics of Unwarranted Epistemic Certitude in the United States." in Barker, D.C. and E. Suhay (eds.) *The Politics of Truth in Polarized America*. 2021. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Suhay, Elizabeth, David C. Barker, and Ryan DeTamble. 2021. "The Politics of Truth in Polarized America: Contexts, Concepts, Causes, and Correctives." in Barker, D.C. and E. Suhay (eds.) *The Politics of Truth in Polarized America*. 2021. New York: Oxford University Press.

### Conference Papers

- DeTamble, Ryan 2024. "The Political Manifestations of Primed Competitiveness." *Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association*. April. Chicago, IL.
- DeTamble, Ryan 2023. "The Drive to Win, The Drive to Excel, and Liberalism-Conservatism." *Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association*. August. Los Angeles, CA.
- DeTamble, Ryan 2023. "The Drive to Win, The Drive to Excel, and Liberalism-Conservatism." *CES Conference*. May. Sundance, UT.

- DeTamble, Ryan 2023. "The Drive to Win, The Drive to Excel, and Liberalism-Conservatism. *Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association*. April. Chicago, IL.
- DeTamble, Ryan 2023. "The Drive to Win, The Drive to Excel, and Liberalism-Conservatism. *Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association*. January. St. Pete's Beach, FL.
- Baker, David C. and Ryan DeTamble 2022. "Religion and Anti-Intellectualism." *Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association*. January. San Antonio, TX.
- Barker, David C., Ryan DeTamble, and Morgan Marietta. 2021. "Intellectualism, Anti-Intellectualism, and Epistemic Hubris in Red and Blue America." *Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association*. . October. Seattle, WA. Virtual.
- DeTamble, Ryan 2021. "A Major Oversight? Examining the Role of Former Collegiate Curriculum Choice on Legislative Effectiveness." *Meeting of the Tri-School Conference*. March. Washington, D.C.
- DeTamble, Ryan and Michael Heseltine. 2020. "Are Votes Cast Because of the Past?: How Prior Levels of Competitiveness and Spending Increase Turnout in Future Elections." *Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association*. January. San Juan, PR.

## Works in Progress

- Book Project: *The Politics of Personal Competitiveness*.
- Hetherington, Marc, David C. Barker, Ryan DeTamble, and Allen Wilson. 2024. "Hypercompetitiveness and the Withholding of Loser's Consent."
- DeTamble, Ryan, Grant Ferguson, Kathryn Haglin, and Soren Jordan. 2024. "Competitiveness and Cryptocurrency Ownership."

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Oklahoma State University

August 2024 – Present

Undergraduate Teaching

Stillwater, OK

- \* Instructor of Record for *POLS 3423: Voting and Elections*: Fall 2024 semester (In-Person Instruction)
- \* Instructor of Record for *POLS 1113: American Government*: Fall 2024 semester (In-Person Instruction)

### American University

August 2021 – 2024

Undergraduate Teaching

Washington D.C.

- \* Instructor of Record for *GOVT 315: Elections and Voting Behavior*: Fall 2022 semester (In-Person Instruction)
- \* Instructor of Record for *GOVT 110: Politics in the United States*: Spring 2022 semester (Hybrid Instruction)
- \* Instructor of Record for *GOVT 110: Politics in the United States*: Fall 2021 semester (In-Person Instruction)
- \* Ran the classroom, gave lectures, facilitated classroom activities, created examinations, and handled grading
- \* Course evaluations available upon request
- \* Syllabi available upon request
- \* Served as the teaching assistant for Spring 2023's *GOVT 315: Elections and Voting Behavior*
- \* Aided with lectures, designed examinations, monitored the gradebook, and composed notes for students
- \* Served as the teaching assistant for Spring 2022's *GOVT 315: Elections and Voting Behavior*
- \* Aided with lectures, designed examinations, monitored the gradebook, and composed notes for students
- \* Served as the teaching assistant for Spring 2021's *GOVT 110: Politics in the United States*
- \* Aided with lectures, designed examinations, monitored the gradebook, and composed notes for students
- \* Served as the teaching assistant for Spring 2020's *GOVT 310: Introduction to Political Research*
- \* Supported students' research projects with extensive one-on-one Zoom meetings where theoretical arguments, causal mechanisms, methodological strategies, and STATA techniques were all discussed

## PAST EMPLOYMENT

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<b>Managing Editor</b>   <i>Congress &amp; the Presidency</i> American University	Aug. 2021 – Aug. 2024 Washington, D.C.
<b>Graduate Research Assistant</b>   <i>David C. Barker</i> American University	Aug. 2019 – Aug. 2022 Washington, D.C.
<b>Editorial Staff</b>   <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> American University	Aug. 2018 – May 2019 Washington, D.C.

## INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS

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<b>The Drive to Win, The Drive to Excel, and Liberalism-Conservatism</b> American University: Department of Government	March 2023
<b>The Origins of Ideology: Guest Lecture</b> Texas Christian University: Political Psychology Class	March 2023
<b>Intellectualism, Anti-Intellectualism, and Epistemic Hubris</b> American University: Department of Government	March 2021
<b>American Hubris: The Politics of Unwarranted Epistemic Certitude</b> Texas Christian University: Political Science Capstone Class	February 2021
<b>Keynote Address</b> Speech at the TCU Distinguished Faculty Achievement Banquet	September 2016

## MEDIA MENTIONS

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<b>New York Times</b> How to Thrive in an Uncertain World	January 13, 2024 Maggie Jackson
<b>FiveThirtyEight</b> Why Being Anti-Science Is Now Part Of Many Rural Americans' Identity	April 25, 2022 Monica Potts
<b>New York Times</b> Trump True Believers Have Their Reasons	October 6, 2021 Thomas B. Edsall
<b>Political Science Now: APSA</b> When Being a "Know-It-All" Goes Wrong	December 1, 2021 Dara Gaines

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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<b>TCU Chancellor's Scholarship</b> Full Tuition Scholarship for Academic Merit and Character	August 2014- May 2018
<b>Riddlesperger Award</b> TCU's Political Science Student of the Year Honor	May 2018
<b>Boller Award Finalist</b> For TCU's Top Undergraduate Thesis Project and Presentation	May 2018

**TCU Addran College Senior Scholar**  
For TCU's Top Undergraduates in each college

May 2018

**Wassenich Award Finalist**  
Nominated for Mentorship in the TCU Community

May 2018

**TCU Dean's List**  
Every Semester

August 2014- May 2018

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## MEMBERSHIPS

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**Member of the APSA, MPSA, and SPSA**

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## SKILLS

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**Programming and Data:** STATA, R, SPSS

**Survey Creation:** Qualtrics, Psytoolkit, SurveyMonkey, CITI Training

**E-Learning Websites:** Blackboard, Canvas, ELMS

**Document & Site Creation:** Microsoft Office Suite, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Weebly

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## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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**Chair for:** MPSA (Spring 2024)

**Discussant for:** Pi Sigma Alpha (Spring 2024), APSA (Fall 2023), AU Gov WiP Workshop (Spring 2022)

**Selected and Served as a Reviewer for:** *American Journal of Political Science, Political Behavior, American Politics Research, Social Problems*