

Lu-Chung Weng (Dennis Weng)

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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2017.09 - Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science

2015.09 - State University of New York at Cortland, Cortland, NY
2017.08 *Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science*

2014.09 - Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT
2015.08 *Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Government*

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Political Science, The University of Texas at Dallas, August 2014.
M.A., in Political Science, The University of Texas at Dallas, May 2011.
M.A., in International Relations, Tam Kang University, Taipei, Taiwan, June 2004.
B.A., in Business Administration, Tam Kang University, Taipei, Taiwan, June 2001.

Graduate Certificate –

Econometrics and Demographic Data Analysis, 2013, University of Texas at Dallas
Time Series Analysis, Summer, 2010, University of Essex, Essex, UK

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Comparative Politics; International Relations; Survey Research; International Political Economy (IPE); Quantitative Research Methods; Political Behavior; Chinese Politics; East Asia and Southeast Asia Politics; Media and Politics; Comparative Public Policy

PUBLICATIONS

Ching-Hsing Wang, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, and Vincent Wang. 2018. “Does Candidate Nomination in Districts Increase Party Votes of Small Parties? Evidence from the 2016 Taiwan Legislative Elections” *Japanese Journal of Political Science* (2018) Accepted.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, 2017. “Can Economic Profit Influence Public Opinion? Observing Generational Change on Cross-Strait Relations in Taiwan.” *Asian Journal of Comparative Politics*, 2(4), pp.262-384.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng and Ching-Hsing Wang, “Life Cycle Effect,” in Fathali Moghaddam (ed.), *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Political Behavior*. SAGE, 2017

Ching-Hsing Wang, and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2017. The Effects of Civic Consciousness and Civil Disobedience on Support for and Participation in Contentious Politics. *Japanese Journal of Political Science*, 18(2), pp.313-335.

Ching-Hsing Wang, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, and Hyun Jin Jia. 2017. "Personality Traits and Voter Turnout in South Korea: The Mediation Argument." *Japanese Journal of Political Science*, 18(3), pp.426-445.

Ching-Hsing Wang, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, Laura Barnstead, and Garrett DuMund. 2017. "Disrespect for Human Rights and Contentious Participation: Evidence from China." *Journal of Chinese Political Science*, pp.1-25

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, 2016. "Investigating The Changing Citizens in Southeast Asia: An Empirical Analysis of Political Participation and Democratization in Southeast Asia (In Chinese)." *Taiwan Journal of Southeast Asia Studies* 10(3), pp. 7-44

Ho, Karl, Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, and Harold D. Clarke, 2015. "Using repeated cross-sectional surveys to study political attitudes and behavior in a new democracy: HAPC models for Taiwan." *Electoral Studies* 39, pp. 256-263.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, 2015. "Contextual Effects on Individual Voting Behavior: The Case of Taiwan." *Asian Journal of Political Science* 23(3), pp. 321-345.

Ho, Karl, Harold D. Clarke, Li-Khan Chen, and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2013. "Valence politics and electoral choice in a new democracy: The case of Taiwan." *Electoral Studies* 32 (3), pp. 476-481.

MANUSCRIPT UNDER REVIEW

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, Lu-Huei Chen, and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2018. "The Effect of China Factor in Taiwan's Elections: How has It Changed From 2008 to 2014?" Under review by *Japanese Journal of Political Science*

Mary Schlarb, Shufang Strause, and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2018. "The New Normal: Student and Faculty Mobility Programs between Public Teacher Education Institutions in China and the U.S." Book Chapter, Edited by Christopher Johnstone and Li Li Ji at University of Minnesota. Invited to Revise & Resubmit.

Ching-Hsing Wang and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2017. "Personality Traits and Individual Feeling of National Pride in South Korea." Invited to Revise & Resubmit by *Asian Journal of Political Science*.

Ching-Hsing Wang and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2017. "Do Election Polls Increase Individual political knowledge?" Under review by *Asian Survey*.

Ching-Hsing Wang and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2017. "Social Regime under Tsai and DPP." Book Chapter, Edited by Hans Stockton at University of St. Thomas.

Chia-Hung Tsai, Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2017. "Understanding the effect of political trust in policy reform: The Case of Taiwan's Pension System" Under review by

Social Science Quarterly.

Chia-Hung Tsai, Ching-Hsing Wang, and Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, 2017. "Personality Traits and Individual Attitude toward the Independence-Unification Issue in Taiwan" Under review by *The China Quarterly*.

Yi-Bin Chang, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2017. "Personality Traits and the Propensity to Protest: A Cross-National Analysis" Under review by *Political Research Quarterly*.

SELECTED ON-GOING PROJECTS

- "Elite Differential Effect on American Presidential Election" (With Austin Horng An Wang and Ching Hsing Wang, submitted to Election Research Preacceptance Competition)
- "Do Personality Traits Matter? The Endogeneity of political behavior in Voting Models: The Empirical evidence from 20 countries." – Member of Personality Traits Project, Taiwan Election and Democratization Studies (TEDS)
- "Taiwan Democratization Project" – Taiwan Foundation for Democracy.
- "Corruption and Authoritarian Survival" (With Yeo-Yuan Yeh and Ching-Hsing Wang).
- "The Robustness of Valence Models of Electoral Choice: Taiwan in Comparative Perspective."
- "Mixed Logit Models of Heterogeneous Leader Effects on Electoral Choice: Asia in Comparative Perspective."
- "The Changing Citizens in Southeast Asia: An Empirical Analysis of Political Participation and Democratization in Southeast Asia."

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2018. "The Role of Democratization in Shaping National attachment: Democratic Pride in Taiwan." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April, 2018.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2017. "Why Are You Not Proud to be a Taiwanese? The Illusion of National Identity in Taiwan" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of Taiwan and Asia Conference, Illinois State University, October, 2017.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, Chia-Hung Tsai, and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2017. "The Big Five Personality Traits and Tondou Attitude in Taiwan" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of American Association of Chinese Studies, South Carolina, October, 2017.

Chia-Hung Tsai, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2017. "The Big Five Personality Traits and Tondou Attitude in Taiwan" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual

meeting of American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, September, 2017.

Chia-Hung Tsai, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2017. "Understanding the effect of political trust in policy reform: The Case of Taiwan's Pension System" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of Reform and Citizenship, Taipei, Taiwan, June, 2017.

Ching-Hsing Wang and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2017. "Social Regime under Tsai and DPP" Accepted for Presentation at the Taiwan and Asia Conference, University of St. Thomas, April, 2017.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng and Garrett Dumond, 2017. "More Guns, More Police Fatal Shootings: Why lax gun laws may lead to more police fatal shootings?" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April, 2017.

Yi-Bin Chang, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2017. "Personality Traits and the Propensity to Protest: A Cross-National Analysis" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April, 2017.

Ching-Hsing Wang, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng** and Vincent Wang, 2017. "Does Candidate Nomination in Districts Increase Party Votes of Small Parties? Evidence from the 2016 Taiwan Legislative Elections" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April, 2017.

Ching-Hsing Wang and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2016. "Do Election Polls Increase Individual political knowledge?" Invited for Presentation at the Conference on Election Polling and Democratic Consolidation in East Asia, University of California at Berkeley, December, 2016.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng and Yao-Yuan Yeh. 2016. "Does the Independence-Unification Issue Dictate Vote Choice in Taiwan? Reexamining Evidence from TEDS" Accepted for Presentation at the Taiwan and Asia Study Conference, Wake Forest University, NC, October, 2016.

Ching-Hsing Wang, **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, and Vincent Wang, 2016. "Does Candidate Nomination in Districts Increase Party Votes of Small Parties? Evidence from the 2016 Taiwan Legislative Election" Accepted for Presentation at the Taiwan and Asia Study Conference, Wake Forest University, NC, October, 2016.

Ching-Hsing Wang and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2016. "Personality Traits and Individual Feeling of National Pride in South Korea" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, September, 2016.

Ching-Hsing Wang and **Dennis Lu-Chung Weng**, 2016. "Disrespect for Human Rights and Contentious Participation: Evidence from China" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April, 2016.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng, Anh Tuan Nguyen Viet, and Haikal Eki Ramadhan. 2016
“Investigating the Changing Citizens in Southeast Asia: An Empirical Analysis of Political Participation and Democratization in Southeast Asia.” Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April, 2016.

Dennis Lu-Chung Weng and Ching-Hsing Wang, 2016. “Is Newer Better? New Political Parties Formation and Strategic Voting in the 2016 Taiwan Election” Accepted for Presentation at the Taiwan Symposium at University of Texas at Dallas, Chicago, March, 2016.

Karl Ho, Harold Clarke, and **Dennis L.C. Weng**, 2016. “State Space Models for the Dynamics of Party Support in Britain, 2010-2015.” Accepted for Presentation at Asian Political Methodology Meeting, Beijing, Jan, 2016.

Dennis L.C. Weng and Lu-Huei Chen, 2015. “China Effect in Taiwan’s Elections: Single Issue Voting (Independence-Unification) in Taiwan.” Accepted for Presentation at the Taiwan Political Science Association Conference, Kinmen, Taiwan, November, 2015.

K.C. Lee, Karl Ho, Harold Clarke, and **Dennis L.C. Weng**. 2015. “Forming a New Identity in a New Democracy: A Hierarchical Age-Period-Cohort Model for Taiwan.” Accepted for Presentation at the International Conference on Asia-Pacific Studies, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, November, 2015.

Dennis L.C. Weng and Yao-Yuan Yeh. 2015. “Two become one: Integration between Economic Voting and Issue Voting (Independence-Unification) in Taiwan.” Accepted for Presentation at the Taiwan and Asia Study Conference, Austin, November, 2015.

Ching-Hsing Wang and **Dennis L.C. Weng**, 2015. “The Effects of Civic Consciousness and Civil Disobedience on Support for and Participation in Contentious Politics.” Accepted for Presentation at the Taiwan and Asia Study Conference, Austin, November, 2015.

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2015. “Hard to Govern: The Effect of Civic Consciousness on Public Policy Making.” Accepted for Presentation the SUNY Conversations in the Disciplines Conference, Binghamton, NY, October, 2015.

Dennis L.C. Weng and Yao-Yuan Yeh. 2015. “Why Younger Generations Are More Pro-democracy in China? Evidence from the China Survey.” Accepted for Presentation at the Annual Meeting of American Association of Chinese Studies, Houston, October, 2015.

Dennis L.C. Weng. 2015. “Say No to China: A Lesson of Economic Integration and Political Disintegration from Taiwan-China Relation” Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April, 2015.

Dennis L.C. Weng. 2015. “Political participation in Asia – An Age, Period, Cohort analysis Approach.” Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, January, 2015.

Harold Clarke, Karl Ho, and **Dennis L.C. Weng**. 2015. "The Robustness of Valence Models of Electoral Choice: Taiwan in Comparative Perspective." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Asian Political Methodology Conference, Taipei, Taiwan, January, 2015.

Dennis L.C. Weng. 2014. "Age Cohorts and Public Opinion on Cross-Straits Relations, Partisanship and Turnout in Taiwan." Invited for Presentation at the Conference on Democratic Governance, Cross-Strait Security and Prosperity, Washington D.C., October, 2014.

Dennis L.C. Weng, Karl Ho, Harold Clarke, and Alexander Tan. 2014. "The Political Economy of Integration and Separatism: A Longitudinal Study of Taiwan-China economic unification and political independence." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington D.C., August, 2014.

Dennis L.C. Weng. 2014. "Making Political Choice in Asian New Democracies: The case of Taiwan's Presidential Elections." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association (WPSA), Seattle, April, 2014.

Dennis L.C. Weng, Karl Ho, Harold Clarke, and Alexander Tan. 2014. "Economic Integration and Political Disintegration: Observing Attitudinal Change on National Security in Taiwan, 2003-2012." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, April, 2014.

Karl Ho, **Dennis L.C. Weng**, Harold Clarke, and Yuying Chen. 2014. "Democratization and Political Socialization in Taiwan: An Age, Cohort and Period Analysis on Political Values" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, April, 2014.

Harold Clarke, Marianne Stewart, **Dennis L.C. Weng**, and Karl Ho. 2014. "Mixed Logit Models of Heterogeneous Leader Effects on Electoral Choice: Taiwan in Comparative Perspective" Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, April, 2014.

Harold Clarke, **Dennis L.C. Weng**, Karl Ho. 2014. "Democratization and Political Behavior in Asia: An Hierarchical Age-Period Cohort (HAPC) Model Analysis." Invited for Presentation at the Texas A&M University "Methodological Innovations in the Study of Elections in Europe and Beyond conference." College Station, Texas, February, 2014.

Dennis L.C. Weng. 2013. "Political participation in Asian new democracies – A Structure Equation Modeling Approach" Accepted for Presentation at the International Conference on Asia-Pacific Studies, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, November, 2013.

Dennis L.C. Weng. 2013. "Political Participation in Asia- The Stories of East Asian Democracies." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the American Association of Chinese Studies (AACS), New Jersey, October, 2013.

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2013. "Making Political Choice in New Democracies: Rival model testing in Taiwan's 2004 to 2012 Presidential Elections." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Chicago, August, 2013.

Dennis L.C. Weng, and Karl Ho. 2013. "Incumbency advantage, Dominant Party and Democratization of Taiwan." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, April, 2013.

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2013. "Does electoral system matter on incumbency advantage? A Multi-level Analysis on the case of Taiwan." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, April, 2013.

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2013. "Does electoral system reform increase incumbency advantage? The consequences of Taiwan's 2008 electoral reform." Accepted for Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association (SPSA), Orlando, Jan, 2013.

Dennis L.C. Weng, Harold D. Clarke, and Karl Ho. 2012. "A Structural Equation Model of Political Participation in Taiwan." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Taiwan Election and Democracy Studies (TEDS) held at the National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, R.O.C., Nov, 2012.

Harold D. Clarke, Karl Ho, Li-Khan Chen, and **Dennis L.C. Weng**, 2012. "Valence Issues and Performance Politics: What matters most to Taiwanese voters? " Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Taiwan Election and Democracy Studies (TEDS) held at the National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, R.O.C., Nov, 2012.

Dennis L.C. Weng and Yi-Bin Chang, 2012. "Does electoral system matter on incumbency advantage? The case of Taiwan's legislative elections reform." Accepted for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), New Orleans, September, 2012. (meeting cancelled due to Hurricane Issac)

Dennis L.C. Weng and Karl Ho, 2012. "Incumbency advantage, Dominant Party and Democratization of Taiwan," Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), New Orleans, September, 2012. (meeting cancelled due to Hurricane Issac)

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2012. "Why incumbency advantages no longer advantage incumbent? The case of Taiwan's councilor election," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association (SWPSA), San Diego, April, 2012.

Karl Ho, Harold D. Clarke, Li-Khan Chen, and **Dennis L.C. Weng**, 2011. "Valence Theory and Performance politics in Taiwan Elections," presented at the Texas A&M University Network of Regional European Scholars Conference "Valence Politics and the Continuing Economic Crisis in Comparative Perspective," College Station, TX, March, 2012

Karl Ho, Harold D. Clarke, Li-Khan Chen, and **Dennis L.C. Weng**, 2011. "Valence Theory and Issue Voting in Taiwan Municipal Elections," Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Taiwan Election and Democracy Studies (TEDS) held at the Soochow University, Taipei, Taiwan, Dec,

2011.

Dennis L.C. Weng, and Karl Ho, 2010. “The Bankers Awaiting Bailout: Reassessing models of Presidential Approval in the case of Democratic Taiwan, 2000-2009,” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington D.C., September, 2010.

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2010. “Applying US model to Taiwan: A Comparative study of presidential responsiveness to public opinions in new and developed democracies,” Presented at the Annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association (SWPSA), Houston, April, 2010.

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2004. “Southeast Asia Security Community Review: A Comprehensive Security Perspective,” Presented at Annual Conference on Southeast Asia Studies in Taiwan, Taipei, April, 2004 (in Chinese).

Karl Ho, Harold D. Clarke, Li-Khan Chen, and Dennis L.C. Weng, 2011. “Valence Theory and Performance politics in Taiwan Elections,” presented at the Texas A&M University Network of Regional European Scholars Conference “Valence Politics and the Continuing Economic Crisis in Comparative Perspective,” College Station, TX, March, 2012

Karl Ho, Harold D. Clarke, Li-Khan Chen, and Dennis L.C. Weng, 2011. “Valence Theory and Issue Voting in Taiwan Municipal Elections,” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Taiwan Election and Democracy Studies (TEDS) held at the Soochow University, Taipei, Taiwan, Dec, 2011.

Dennis L.C. Weng, and Karl Ho, 2010. “The Bankers Awaiting Bailout: Reassessing models of Presidential Approval in the case of Democratic Taiwan, 2000-2009,” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington D.C., September, 2010.

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2010. “Applying US model to Taiwan: A Comparative study of presidential responsiveness to public opinions in new and developed democracies,” Presented at the Annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association (SWPSA), Houston, April, 2010.

Dennis L.C. Weng, 2004. “Southeast Asia Security Community Review: A Comprehensive Security Perspective,” Presented at Annual Conference on Southeast Asia Studies in Taiwan, Taipei, April, 2004 (in Chinese).

TEACHING

US –

Dept. of Political Science, Sam Houston State University

- **Fall 2017 to present**

- POLS 2305 American Government

- POLS 5371 Comparative Politics

- POLS 3368 Asian Politics

Dept. of Political Science, SUNY-Cortland

- **Fall 2015 to Spring 2017**
POL 101 Introduction to World Politics/International Relations
POL 161 Model UN
POL 262 Comparative Politics: Asia
POL 229 Election in Comparative Perspective
POL 338 Media and Politics
POL 454 International Relation in Asia

Dept. of Government, Wesleyan University

- **Fall 2014 – Spring 2015**
GOVT 157 Introduction to Comparative Politics
GOVT 299 Contemporary Political Issues in Asia
GOVT 271 Political Economy of Developing Countries
GOVT 297 Politics of China
GOVT 409 Honor Thesis - Advisor

Dept. of Political Science, University of Texas at Dallas

- **Fall 2009 Teaching Assistant (with Professor Jennifer Holmes)**
Latin America Politics
- **Fall 2012 to Spring 2014**
PSCI 4396 Contemporary Political Issues in Asia
PSCI 4V97 Independent Study in American Politics and Government–Survey Design
PSCI 4321 Media and Politics – Survey and Campaign Design
PSCI 3350 Comparative Politics

UK –

- **Teaching Assistant, Summer 2013**
Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis
3B - Time Series Analysis (Professor Guy Whitten and Professor Harold D. Clarke)
Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis

TW –

Academia Sinica Summer School in Political Methodology

- **Teaching Assistant, Summer 2013**
Institute for Political Methodology (Taiwan), Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan
Structure Equation Modeling in Social Science (Professor Harold D. Clarke)

GRANTS

External Grants:

- ***Research Project Grant, 2016-2017 (\$20,000)***
Taiwan Personality Traits Project, “Do Personality Traits Matter?” – Member of Taiwan Election and Democratization Studies (TEDS)
- **Taiwan and Asia Foundation Grant, 2015-2017 (\$7,500)**

Funding for organizing guest speaker event on college campus in the U.S.

- **Hayek Conference Grant, 2014**

F.A. Hayek Foundation and Institute for humane Studies at George Mason University

Institutional Grants:

- **SUNY Cortland Undergraduate Research Assistantship Program Award (\$5,000), 2016 - 2017**

Award to excellent undergraduate faculty mentor for supporting undergraduate research projects

- **SUNY Cortland Faculty Development Small Grant (\$500/year), 2015 - 2017**

- **ASC Program Grant, 2016-2017 (\$1,000)**

ASC Board for Research and Event, SUNY-Cortland, May 10th, 2016

- **Ph.D. Small Research Grant, 2010 - 2013 (\$1,500/per year)**

Office of Vice President for Research, University of Texas at Dallas

Other Research Grants and Awards (Taiwan):

Research Assistantship, General Political Warfare Bureau R.O.C, 2005-2006

Taiwan, Republic of China.

Research Assistantship, 2001-2003

College of International Studies, Tam Kang University, Taipei, Taiwan

Scholarship of Taipei County, 2003

Taipei County, Taiwan, Republic of China

The Year 2003 Excellent Youth Representative of Tam Kang University, 2003

Tam Kang University, Taipei, Taiwan

Scholarship of International Studies, 2002

College of International Studies, Tam Kang University, Taipei, Taiwan

AWARDS

Teaching Awards (US):

- **SUNY Cortland 2017 Steven J. Barnes Outstanding Faculty Member Award**

Award to excellent teaching

- **SUNY Cortland 2017 Faculty Connection Award**

Award to faculty member for extending their support to undergraduate students outside of classrooms.

- **UTD School of EPPS Outstanding Teaching Award, 2013**

University of Texas at Dallas, School of Economic, Political and Policy Science

- **The Provost's Award for Faculty Excellence in Undergraduate Research Mentoring, 2013**

University of Texas at Dallas, Dean of Undergraduate Education Office

Travel Grants and Awards (US):

SPSA Artinian Award, January, 2015

Southern Political Science Association, for conference presentation at 2015 Annual Meeting (Annual Meeting of Southern Political Science Association SPSA, New Orleans, LA, US)

Conference Group of Taiwan Studies Travel Award, 2014

Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of China, for conference presentation related to Taiwanese politics. (Annual Meeting of 2014 American Political Science Association-- APSA, Washington DC, US)

AACS Travel Award, October, 2013

American Association of Chinese Studies, for conference presentation at 2013 Annual Meeting (Annual Meeting of AACS, New Jersey, US)

Taiwanese Junior Outstanding Scholar Travel Award, 2013

Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of China, for conference presentation related to Taiwanese politics. (Annual Meeting of American Political Science Association-- APSA, Chicago, IL, US)

APSA Travel Grant, August, 2013

American Political Science Association, for conference presentation at 2013 Annual Meeting (Annual Meeting of APSA, Chicago, US)

Prestage-Cook Travel Award, January, 2013

Southern Political Science Association, for conference presentation at 2013 Annual Meeting (Annual Meeting of Southern Political Science Association SPSA, Orlando, FL, US)

UTD Office of Vice President Travel Grant, November, 2012

Political Science Program, University of Texas at Dallas, for conference presentation (Annual Meeting of the Taiwan Election and Democracy Studies (TEDS) held at the National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, R.O.C., Nov, 2012.)

Departmental Travel Grant, April, 2012

Political Science Program, University of Texas at Dallas, for conference presentation (Annual Meeting of American Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, US)

UTD Office of Vice President Travel Grant, April, 2012

Political Science Program, University of Texas at Dallas, for conference presentation (Annual Meeting of American Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, US)

Departmental Travel Grant, 2012

Political Science Program, University of Texas at Dallas, for conference presentation (Annual Meeting of Southwestern Political Science Association—SWPSA, San Diego, CA, US)

Texas A&M European Union Center Conference Travel Grant, 2012

European Union Center and Department of Political Science, University of Texas A&M, for conference presentation. (Network of Regional European Scholars Conference "Valence Politics and the Continuing Economic Crisis in Comparative Perspective" – College Station, TX, US)

Departmental Travel Grant, 2010

Political Science Program, University of Texas at Dallas, for conference presentation (Annual Meeting of American Political Science Association—APSA, Washington D.C., US)

Taiwanese Scholar Travel Award, 2010

Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of China, for conference presentation related to Taiwanese politics. (Annual Meeting of American Political Science Association-- APSA, Washington D.C., US)

Departmental Travel Grant, 2009

Political Science Program, University of Texas at Dallas, for conference presentation (Annual Meeting of Southwestern Political Science Association—SWPSA, Houston, TX, US)

SERVICES***Sam Houston State University, 2017 Fall - present******Department -***

Webmaster, Political Science Department Website, 2017 Fall –

Member, Political Science Department Enhancing Undergraduate Research Experiences and Creative Activities (EURECA) Committee, 2017 Fall -

Member, Political Science Department Undergraduate Recruitment Committee, 2018 Spring -

SUNY-Cortland, 2015 Fall – 2017 Spring***University -***

Coordinator, China-Taiwan Summer Study Abroad Program, SUNY, 2017 -

Coordinator, SUNY- Cortland - Taiwan Exchange Program, 2015 -

Member, Faculty Diversity and Inclusive Engagement Committee, 2016 –

Coordinator, – SUNY-Cortland Diversity and Inclusive Climate Survey, 2016 –

College -

Member, Clark Center of International Education Advisory Committee, SUNY Cortland, 2016 -

Member, International Studies Program Advisory Committee, SUNY Cortland, 2016 -

Faculty Adviser, Model New York State Senate, SUNY-Cortland, 2016 -

Faculty Adviser, Model United Nations, SUNY-Cortland, 2015 -

Department -

Chair, Political Science Curriculum Committee, 2016 -

Member, Political Science Department Publicity Committee, 2015 –

Social Media Coordinator, Political Science Department, 2016 -

Other -

International Research Fellow, Center of Southeast Asian Studies, National Cheng Chi University, 2015 –

Professional -

Editorial Board Member, *Journal of East Asia Quarterly* (Taiwan)

Book & Journal Reviewer

British Journal of Political Science, Comparative Politics Studies; Journal of Electoral Studies; Public Choice; Asian Journal of Political Science, Asian Journal of Comparative Politics; African Journal of Political Science and International Relations; Taiwan Journal of Electoral Studies; Taiwan Journal of Democracy; Stanford University Press; Oxford University Press; Journal of Experimental Political Science; Government and Opposition; Taiwan Journal of Political Science;

Invited Talk

National Sun Yat-Sen University, April, 2017

University of Toronto, June 2016

Harvard University, June, 2015

National Sun Yat-Sen University, March, 2015

National Chengchi University, March, 2015

Stanford University, Dec, 2014

College of East Asia Studies, Wesleyan University, Oct, 2014; March, 2015, April 2015

Other -

Panel Discussant, Member, American Political Science Association, 2009 - present

Panel Organizer, Chair, Discussant, Member, Southwestern Political Science Association, 2009 - present

Panel Organizer, Chair, Discussant, Member, Southern Political Science Association, 2012 - present

Panel Organizer, Chair, Discussant, Member, Western Political Science Association, 2012 - present

Member, Taiwanese Political Science Association, 2001 - present

Member, Taiwan Association of Southeast Asia Studies, 2001 – present

METHDOLOGICAL SKILLS

Modeling techniques: Discrete choice models, Multivariate regression models, Time series analysis, Multilevel models (HLM), Structure Equation Models

Statistical Programming – SPSS, R, STATA, EVIEWS, MPLUS, LISREL 8, 9

LANGUAGES

English: Fluent

Chinese: Native

WORKING EXPERIENCE (OTHER)

Journalist, GALA Television, Taiwan R.O.C. (2006/01 – 2007/12)
Coverage: Politics, Elections, National Defense and Foreign Affairs

Senior Business Consultant, Recruit Express, Singapore (2008/01-2008/07)

MEDIA INTERVIEW & OTHER PUBLICATIONS (MEDIA)

- “Umbrella Movement and Hong Kong’s Future”,
Wesleyan Argus
<http://wesleyanargus.com/2014/11/20/hong-kong-political-climate-panel/>
- “TAIWAN’S DOMESTIC POLITICS AND CROSS-STRAIT RELATIONS”, Georgetown
Journal of International Affair
<http://journal.georgetown.edu/taiwans-domestic-politics-and-cross-strait-relations-five-minutes-with-karl-ho-and-dennis-lu-chung-weng/>
- Contributor for Academic Blog (*Who Governs Taiwan* in Chinese, The Chinese version of Monkey Cage)
<http://whogovernstw.org/category/dennisweng/>
- Columnist, Asian newspapers (Apple Daily News, Yahoo Opinion, and United Daily News)
(a) Apple Daily News:
<https://tw.appledaily.com/realtimenews/author/authorid/133/>
(b) Yahoo Opinion:
<https://tw.news.yahoo.com/blogs/author/%E7%BF%81%E5%B1%A5%E4%B8%AD/>

REFERENCES

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University of Texas at Dallas
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