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Grants Awarded From National Funding Agencies

National Science Foundation, "Changing Attitudes on Race," 1991-1993, co-principal investigator.

National Science Foundation, "Assessing the Impact of the *Bakke* Decision," 1988-1990, principal investigator.

Center for the American Women and Politics (Rutgers University), "The Policy Impact of Increasing Numbers of Women in State Legislatures," 1988-1990, principal investigator.

National Science Foundation, "Dissertation Research: The Policy Impact of Women Legislators in the American States," 1988-1989 for dissertation student Sue Thomas.

National Institute of Justice, "Development and Validation for Index of Criminal History," 1984-1986, principal investigator.

National Science Foundation, "The Impact of Political Structure on Urban Council Members," 1983-1985, principal investigator.

National Science Foundation, Instructional Scientific Equipment Program, "Acquiring PLATO for Social Science Methods Courses," 1979-1982, principal investigator.

National Science Foundation, Local Course Improvement Program, "Developing PLATO Courseware," 1980-1982, principal investigator.

National Institutes of Mental Health, 1978-1980. "Black Elected Officials and Urban Politics," principal investigator.

Department of Labor, 1978-1981. "Hispanics and Public Employment in the Southwest," co-investigator.

Department of Interior, Office of Water Resources, 1978-1980, through the University of Nebraska. "Opinions of Nebraskans Toward Water Policy," principal investigator.

NSF Foreign Travel Grant, 1976, 1979.

Major Administrative and Committee Responsibilities

Penn State

Campaign Planning Committee, 2006-present

On-line Steering Committee, 2004-present

Member, Tuition Task Force, 2001-2002

Chair, Search Committee for Dean of the University Libraries, 1997-1998, Dean of the College of Arts and Architecture, 1999-2000; Dean of the College of Information Science and Technology, 2005-06

Chair, Information Science and Technology School Interim Advisory Council, 1998-1999

Member, AIS (Administrative Information Systems) Strategic Planning Committee, 1998-2008

Member, Search Committee for Director of the Children, Youth, and Family Consortium, 1998-1999

Member, Search Committee, Vice President for Development and Alumni Relations, 1996.

Member, University Planning Council, 1995-2000.

Chair, Council of Academic Deans, 1995-1996.

Member, President's Advisory Committee on Inter-Campus Issues, 1991-1993.

Member, University Future Committee, 1992-1993 (universitywide planning and budget recommendations committee).

University of Nebraska

Department of Political Science Chairperson, 1977-1985; College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee, 1986-1991 (main function was to serve as college-wide promotion and tenure committee); Chancellor's Commission on the Status of Women, 1989-1991, Chair, 1990-91; Faculty Senate Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee, 1977-1979, 1983, Chair, 1979; American Association of University Professors, UNL Campus: Executive Committee, 1972-1973, 1985-1987; President, 1986; Legislative Liaison, 1986-1989; Trustee, Legal Defense Fund 1988-91.

Miscellaneous (University of Nebraska): Chancellor's Committee on Enrollment, 1976; Academic Planning Committee, Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Financial Exigency, 1978; Executive Council of the Graduate College, 1976-1978; Review Team for Academic Planning Review of Department of History, 1986; Department of Educational Administration, 1982; Arts and Sciences Task Force on Undergraduate Education, 1978-1981; Member, Search Committee for the Director of the School of Biological Sciences, 1988-1989.

Professional

Leadership roles: President, Midwest Political Science Association, 1992-1993; President, Women and Politics Research organized section, American Political Science Association, 1989-1990; President, Urban Politics Research organized section, American Political Science Association, 1997-98; Secretary, American Political Science Association, 1995-96; Treasurer, 1983-1985, Vice President, 2000-2001; Chair, Trust and Development Fund, American Political Association, 1983-1985

Program Review Team, Department of Political Science, Northern Arizona University, 1985; Department of Political Science, Iowa State University, 1988; 1993; Department of Political Science, University of Oklahoma, 1989, University of Iowa, 1997.

Journal Editorship: *American Politics Quarterly*, 1986-1992

Editorial Boards

- National Political Science Review*, 1987-1993
- American Journal of Political Science*, 1982-1985, 1988-1991; 1994-1998
- American Political Science Review*, 1977-1981, 1995--2000
- Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 1986-1989.
- Social Science Quarterly*, 1978--
- Urban Affairs Quarterly*, 1980-1985; 2000--.
- American Politics Quarterly*, 1981-1987; 1992--
- Women and Politics*, 1980--2000
- Public Opinion Quarterly*, 1991-1996
- Journal of Politics*, 1993-1997
- Political Research Quarterly*, 2006-
- Gender and Politics*

Executive Councils

- American Political Science Association, 1982-1985, 1995-96.
- Midwest Political Science Association, 1978-1981.
- Policy Studies Association, 1981-1983.

Other: National Science Foundation, Political Science Review Panel, 1978-1980; Committee of Visitors (Program Review Team, Political Science Program), 1990; Ad Hoc Review Panel, Women Scientist Program, 1991

Member Panel to Review Social Science Ph.D. Programs for State of New York Board of Regents, 2000.

Member, APSA Committee to review relations with NSF, 1999-2000.

Member, Departmental Services Committee, APSA, 1982-1984.

Educational Testing Service (ETS), Member, Board of Examiners, Graduate Record Exam, Advanced Political Science Examination, 1978-1988; Chair of Board, 1986-1988.

Program Committees, Midwest Political Science Association, 1987, 1982, 1978; American Political Science Association, 1989, 1979.

Member, Committee on the Status of Women, Midwest Political Science Association, Policy Studies Organization, American Political Science Association, and Southwest Social Science Association.

National Advisory Board for the 1992 National Black Election Study (NBES) 1991-1992.

Member National Council of Pi Sigma Alpha 1990-1994 (political science honorary society).

Awards

Women's Caucus for Political Science, Award for best treatment of gender issues in an introductory American government text. Given award for 2nd, 5th, and 6th editions, and declared ineligible for further awards.

Outstanding Research and Creativity Award, University of Nebraska, 1988.

Tribute to Women Award, Lincoln YWCA, 1990; Achieving Women Award, Penn State, 2006.

Best Paper Award from the Women and Politics Research Section for paper presented at the 1989 APSA Meetings.