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FYI. I have no particular interest in doing this, but if the White House would like me to, I would of course be happy to do so. But you or Todd Gaziano would be better candidates. Please let me know your preference.

-----Original Message-----  
From: Kenneth R Mayer [mailto:kmayer@polisci.wisc.edu]  
Sent: Friday, March 14, 2003 12:00 PM  
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I will serve as chair of the panel (I have attached a copy of my cv as a  
Word document). My overriding goal is to have a balanced discussion of  
these important issues. I look forward to hearing from you. Please  
contact me at the number below, or at [P6/b6] if you have any  
questions.

Thank you for considering this.

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#### Education

Ph.D. Yale University, December 1988 (Political Science)  
M.A., M.Phil. Yale University, 1987 (Political Science)  
B.A. University of California, San Diego 1982 (Political Science)

#### Positions Held

Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison, July 2000 – present  
Director, Data and Computation Center, College of Letters and Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison, June 1996-present  
Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison, June 1996-June 2000.  
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison, August 1989-June 1996.  
Consultant, The RAND Corporation, Washington DC, 1988-1994. Conducted study of acquisition reform, and the effects of acquisition policy on the defense industrial base. Also performed computer simulations of U.S. strategic force posture and capabilities.  
Contract Specialist, Naval Air Systems Command, Washington D.C., 1985-1986. Responsible for cost and price analysis, contract negotiation, and contract administration for aerial target missile programs in the \$5 million - \$100 million range.

#### Professional Service

Presidency Research Group (organized section of the American Political Science Association) Board, September 2002-present  
Book Review Editor, *Congress and the Presidency*, July 2001-present  
Editorial Board, *American Political Science Review*, September 2001-Present

#### Honors and Awards

Vilas Associate, 2003-2004, University of Wisconsin-Madison Graduate School.  
2002 Neustadt Award (awarded by the Presidency Research Group of the American Political Science Association, for best book published on the American presidency in 2001). Awarded for *With the Stroke of a Pen*.  
Lilly Teaching Fellow, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1993-1994.  
Interfraternity Council award for Outstanding Teaching, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1993.  
Selected as one of the 100 best professors at University of Wisconsin-Madison, Wisconsin Student Association, March 1992.  
Olin Dissertation Fellow, Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, 1987-1988



### Books and Monographs

- Mayer, Kenneth R., ed. 2002. *The Enduring Debate: Classic and Contemporary Readings in American Government*. 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. New York: W.W. Norton & Co. (with David T. Canon and John Coleman).
- , ed. 2002. *Readings in American Government*, 7<sup>th</sup> edition. New York: W.W. Norton & Co. (with Theodore J. Lowi, Benjamin Ginsberg, David T. Canon, and John Coleman).
- , 2001. *With the Stroke of a Pen: Executive Orders and Presidential Power*. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press. Winner of the 2002 Neustadt Award.
- , ed. 2000. *Readings in American Government*, 6<sup>th</sup> edition. New York: W.W. Norton & Co. (with Theodore J. Lowi, Benjamin Ginsberg, David T. Canon, and Anne Khademian).
- , ed. 2000. *The Enduring Debate: Classic and Contemporary Readings in American Government*. 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. New York: W.W. Norton & Co. (with David T. Canon and Anne Khademian).
- , 1999. *The Dysfunctional Congress? The Individual Roots of an Institutional Dilemma*. Boulder, CO: Westview Press. (with David T. Canon).
- , 1999. *Issue Advocacy in Wisconsin: Analysis of the 1998 Elections and A Proposal for Enhanced Disclosure*. September.
- , 1998. *Public Financing and Electoral Competition in Minnesota and Wisconsin*. Citizens' Research Foundation. April.
- , ed. 1998. *Readings in American Government*, 5<sup>th</sup> edition. New York: W.W. Norton & Co. (with Theodore J. Lowi, Benjamin Ginsberg, David T. Canon, and Anne Khademian).
- , ed. 1997. *The Enduring Debate: Classic and Contemporary Readings in American Government*. New York: W.W. Norton & Co. (with David T. Canon and Anne Khademian).
- , ed. 1996. *Readings in American Government*, 4<sup>th</sup> edition. New York: W.W. Norton & Co. (with Theodore J. Lowi, Benjamin Ginsberg, David T. Canon, and Anne Khademian).
- , 1993. *The Development of the Advanced Medium Range Air-to-Air Missile: A Case Study of Risk and Reward in Weapon System Acquisition*. N-3620-AF. Santa Monica: RAND Corporation.
- , 1992. *Barriers to Managing Risk in Large Scale Weapons System Development Programs*. N-4624-AF. Santa Monica: RAND Corporation (with Thomas K. Glennan, Jr., Susan J. Bodilly, Frank Camm, and Timothy J. Webb).
- , 1991. *The Political Economy of Defense Contracting*. New Haven: Yale University Press.

### Articles and Other Scholarly Papers

- Mayer, Kenneth R. 2003. "Political Reality and Unforeseen Consequences: Why Campaign Finance Reform is Too Important To Be Left To The Lawyers," *University of Richmond Law Review* (forthcoming, May).
- , 2002. "Unilateral Presidential Powers: Significant Executive Orders, 1949-1999." *Presidential Studies Quarterly* 32:367-386 (No. 2, June). With Kevin Price.
- , 2002. "Review Essay: Assessing The 2000 Presidential Election – Judicial and Social Science Perspectives." *Congress and the Presidency* 29: 91-98 (No. 1, Spring)
- , 2001. "Answering Ayres: Requiring Campaign Contributors to Remain Anonymous Would Not Resolve Corruption Concerns." *Regulation* 24 (No. 4, Winter):24-29.
- , 2001. "Presidential Emergency Powers." *Oxford Analytica Daily Brief*, December 18.
- , 2001. "Hey, Wait a Minute: The Assumptions Behind the Case for Campaign Finance Reform." Gerald C. Lubenow, ed., *A User's Guide to Campaign Finance Reform* (Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield).
- , 2001. "Everything You Thought You Knew About Impeachment Was Wrong." Leonard V. Kaplan and Beverly I. Moran, ed., *Aftermath: The Clinton Impeachment and the*



- Presidency in the Age of Political Spectacle* (New York: New York University Press). With David T. Canon.
- , 2000. "Student Attitudes Toward Instructional Technology in the Large Introductory US Government Course." *PS: Political Science and Politics* 33: no. 3 (September). With John Coleman.
  - , 2000. "The Institutionalization of Power." Robert Y. Shapiro, Martha Joynt Kumar, and Lawrence R. Jacobs, ed. *Presidential Power: Forging the Presidency for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century* (New York: Columbia University Press). With Thomas J. Weko.
  - , 1999. "The Limits of Delegation – the Rise and Fall of BRAC." *Regulation* 22:32-38 (No. 3, October)
  - , 1999. "Executive Orders and Presidential Power." *The Journal of Politics* 61:445-466 (No. 2, May).
  - , 1997. *Campaign Finance Reform in the States*. Report prepared for and presented to the Governor's Blue Ribbon Commission on Campaign Finance Reform (State of Wisconsin). February. Portions reprinted in Anthony Corrado, Thomas E. Mann, Daniel R. Ortiz, Trevor Potter, and Frank J. Sorauf, ed. 1997. *Campaign Finance Reform: A Sourcebook* (Washington, D.C.: Brookings Institution)
  - , 1996. "Bringing Politics Back In: Defense Policy and the Theoretical Study of Institutions and Processes." *Public Administration Review* 56:180-190 (with Anne Khademian).
  - , 1995. "Does Public Financing of Campaigns Work?" *Trends in Campaign Financing*, no. 1. Occasional Paper Series, Citizens' Research Foundation, Los Angeles, CA (with John M. Wood).
  - , 1995. "Closing Military Bases (Finally): Solving Collective Dilemmas Through Delegation." *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 20:393-414.
  - , 1995. "Electoral Cycles in Federal Government Prime Contract Awards: State-Level Evidence from the 1988 and 1992 Presidential Elections." *American Journal of Political Science* 40:162-185.
  - , 1995. "The Impact of Public Financing on Electoral Competitiveness: Evidence from Wisconsin, 1964-1990." *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 20:69-88 (with John M. Wood).
  - , 1993. "Policy Disputes as a Source of Administrative Controls: Congressional Micromanagement of the Department of Defense," *Public Administration Review* 53:293-302.
  - , 1993. "Congressional-DoD Relations After the Cold War: The Politics of Uncertainty," in *Downsizing Defense*, Ethan Kapstein ed. Washington DC: Congressional Quarterly Press.
  - , 1993. "Combat Aircraft Production in the United States, 1950-2000: Maintaining Industry Capability in an Era of Shrinking Budgets." *Defense Analysis* 9:159-169.
  - , 1991. "Elections, Business Cycles, and the Timing of Defense Contract Awards in the United States," in *The Political Economy of Military Spending*, Alex Mintz ed. London: Routledge.
  - , 1990. "Patterns of Congressional Influence In Defense Contracting," in *Arms, Politics, and the Economy: Contemporary and Historical Perspectives*, Robert Higgs ed. New York: Holmes and Meier.

#### Other Publications and Book Reviews

- Mayer, Kenneth R. 2002. "Capitol Overkill." *Madison Magazine*, July.
- , 2002. Issue Briefs (Homeland Security; Foreign Affairs and Defense Policy; Education; Economy, Budget and Taxes; Social Welfare Policy), *2002 Reporter's Source Book*. Project Vote Smart. With Patricia Strach and Paul Manna.



- , 1999. "An Analysis of the Issue of Issue Ads." Guest Column Op-ed. *Wisconsin State Journal*, November 7.
- , 1999. "Background of Issue Ad Controversy." Guest Column Op-ed. *Wisconsin State Journal*, November 7.
- , 1999. "Eliminating Public Funding Reduces Election Competition." Guest Column Op-ed. *Wisconsin State Journal*, June 27.
- , 1998. Review of *Executive Privilege: The Dilemma of Secrecy and Democratic Accountability*, by Mark J. Rozell. *Congress and the Presidency*, 25.
- , 1996. "Like Marriage, New Presidency Starts In Hope." *Wisconsin State Journal*. March 31.
- , 1994. Review of *The Tyranny of the Majority: Fundamental Fairness in Representative Democracy*, by Lani Guinier. *Congress and the Presidency* 21: 149-151.
- , 1994. Review of *The Best Defense: Policy Alternatives for U.S. Nuclear Security From the 1950s to the 1990s*, by David Goldfisher. *Science, Technology, and Environmental Politics Newsletter* 6.
- , 1993. Review of *The Strategic Defense Initiative*, by Edward Reiss. *American Political Science Review* 87: 1061-1062
- , 1993. Review of *The Political Economy of Defense: Issues and Perspectives*, Andrew L. Ross ed. *Armed Forces and Society* 19:460-462.
- , 1993. Review of *Space Weapons and the Strategic Defense Initiative*, by Crockett Grabbe. *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 527: 193-194.
- , 1992. "Limits Wouldn't Solve the Problem." Guest Column Op-ed. *Wisconsin State Journal*, November 5 (with David T. Canon).
- , 1992. "Convention Ceded Middle Ground." Guest Column Op-ed. *Wisconsin State Journal*, August 23.
- , 1992. "CBS Economy Poll Meaningless." Guest Column Op-ed. *Wisconsin State Journal*, February 3.
- , 1988. "It's a Matter of Character: Pentagon Doesn't Need New Laws, it Needs Good People." Op-ed. *Los Angeles Times*, July 8.

#### Convention and Conference Papers

- Mayer, Kenneth R. 2000. "Hey, Wait a Minute: The Assumptions Behind the Case for Campaign Finance Reform." Paper presented at the Citizens' Research Foundation Forum on Campaign Finance Reform, Institute for Governmental Studies, University of California Berkeley. August.
- , 1996. "The Importance of Moving First: Presidential Initiative and Executive Orders." Presented at the 1996 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, August 28-September 1
- , 1993. "Department of Defense Contracts, Presidential Elections, and the Political-Business Cycle." Presented at the 1993 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, September 2-5.
- , 1993. "Informational vs. Distributive Theories of Legislative Organization: Committee Membership and Defense Policy in the House." Presented at the 1993 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, September 2-5.
- , 1991. "Problem? What Problem? Congressional Micromanagement of the Department of Defense." Presented at the 1991 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington DC, August 29 - September 2.



### Grants and Research Activities

- "Enhancing Electoral Competition: Do Public Funding Programs for State and Local Elections Work?" Smith Richardson Foundation, Westport, CT. \$129,611. December 2002-December 2004.
- WebWorks Grant (implementation of web-based instructional technologies), Division of Information Technology, UW-Madison, \$1,000. November 1999.
- "Issue Advocacy in Wisconsin during the 1998 Election." Joyce Foundation, Chicago, IL. \$15,499. April 1999.
- Instructional Technology in the Multimedia Environment (IN-TIME) grant, Learning Support Services, University of Wisconsin. \$5,000. March 1997.
- "Public Financing and Electoral Competitiveness in the Minnesota State Legislature." Citizens' Research Foundation, Los Angeles, CA, \$2,000. May-November 1996.
- "The Reach of Presidential Power: Policy Making Through Executive Orders." Graduate School Research Committee, University of Wisconsin, \$21,965. July 1, 1995-August 31, 1995. National Science Foundation (SBR-9511444), \$60,004. September 1, 1995 - August 31, 1998. Additional support provided by the Gerald R. Ford Library Foundation, the Eisenhower World Affairs Institute, and the Harry S. Truman Library Foundation.
- "The Future of the Combat Aircraft Industrial Base." Changing Security Environment Project, John M. Olin Institute for Strategic Studies, Harvard University (with Ethan B. Kapstein). June 1993-January 1995. Amount: \$15,000.
- Hilldale Student Faculty Research Grant, College of Letters and Sciences, University of Wisconsin (with John M. Wood). 1992. Amount: \$1,000 (\$3,000 award to student)
- "Electoral Cycles in Federal Government Prime Contract Awards," March 1992 - February 1995. National Science Foundation (SES-9121931), the Graduate School Research Committee at the University of Wisconsin, and the MacArthur Foundation. Amounts: National Science Foundation, \$74,216; Graduate School Research Committee: \$2,600; MacArthur Foundation, \$2,500
- C-SPAN In the Classroom Faculty Development Grant, 1991. Amount: \$500

### Professional Activities

- Discussant, "Presidential Use of Strategic Tools." 2002 American Political Science Association Meeting, August 28-September 1, 2002, Boston, MA
- Consultant and Expert Witness, *Baumgart et al. v. Wendelberger et al.* (Wisconsin state legislative redistricting case, 2002)
- Chair and Discussant, "Branching Out: Congress and the President." 2001 Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, April 19-22, 2001, Chicago, IL.
- Invited witness, Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law, U.S. House of Representatives. *Hearing on Executive Orders and Presidential Power*, Washington, DC. March 22, 2001.
- Invited Presenter, "The History of the Executive Order," Miller Center for Public Affairs, University of Virginia (with Griffin Bell and Will Howell), January 26, 2001.
- Presenter and Discussant, Future Voting Technologies Symposium (meeting organized by Dane County Clerk's Office), Madison, WI May 2, 2000.
- Moderator, Panel on Electric Utility Reliability. Assembly Staff Leadership Development Seminar, Madison, WI. August 11, 1999.
- Chair, Panel on "Legal Aspects of the Presidency: Clinton and Beyond." 1999 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 15-17, Chicago, IL.
- Consultant, Governor's Blue Ribbon Commission on Campaign Finance Reform. State of Wisconsin. 1997.



Session Moderator, National Performance Review Acquisition Working Summit, Milwaukee, WI, June 1995  
Invited Speaker, American Politics Seminar, The George Washington University, Washington D.C., April 1995.  
Invited speaker, Defense and Arms Control Studies Program, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, March 1994.  
Discussant, International Studies Association (Midwest Chapter) Annual Meeting, Chicago IL, October 29-30, 1993  
Invited speaker, Seminar on American Politics, Princeton University, January 16-17, 1992  
Participant, Conference on Defense Downsizing and Economic Conversion, October 4, 1991, Harvard University.  
Participant, Conference on Congress and New Foreign and Defense Policy Challenges, The Ohio State University, Columbus OH, September 21-22, 1990, and September 19-21, 1991.  
Presenter, "A New Look at Short Term Change in Party Identification," 1990 Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA.  
Journal Manuscript Reviewer: *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *Public Administration Review*, *Journal of Policy History*  
Peer Reviewer, National Science Foundation

#### Teaching

Undergraduate: Introduction to American Government; Honors Introduction to American Government; Legislative Process; The American Presidency; Theories of Legislative Organization; Defense and Foreign Policy; Classics of American Politics; Senior Honors Thesis Seminar; Campaign Finance  
Graduate: Contemporary Presidency; Legislative Process

#### Department and University Service

College of Letters and Science, Committee Service  
General Education Requirements Committee  
Communications-B Implementation Committee  
Curriculum Committee  
Verbal Assessment Committee  
Faculty Appeals Committee (for students dismissed for academic reasons)  
Committee on Information Technology, Distance Education and Outreach, 1997-98.  
Hilldale Faculty-Student Research Grants, Evaluation Committee, 1997, 1998  
Department Computer Committee, 1996-1997; 1997-1998.  
Faculty Senate Alternate Delegate, Department of Political Science, 1994-1995; 1996-1997; 1997-1998, 1998-1999  
Preliminary Exam Appeals Committee, Department of Political Science, 1994-1995  
Faculty Advisor, Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science Honors Society), 1993-1994  
Department Honors Advisor, 1991-1992; 1992-1993  
Brown-bag Seminar Series on Job Talks (for graduate students), 1992  
Keynote speaker, Undergraduate Honors Symposium, April 13 1991  
Brown Bag Seminar on the Persian Gulf War, Medical Scholars Program, February 15 1991  
Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Department of Political Science, 1990-1991; 1991-1992; 1993-1994  
Individual Majors Committee, College of Letters and Sciences, 1990-1991

Dean Reading Room Committee, Department of Political Science, 1989-1990; 1994-1995