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**Employment:** North Carolina State University, Professor, 2013-present  
North Carolina State University, Associate Professor, 2006-2013  
North Carolina State University, Assistant Professor, 2002-2006  
Texas Tech University, Assistant Professor, 2000-2002  
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M.A. in Political Science, The Ohio State University, 1997  
Bachelors of Arts in Political Science and in History, Duke University, 1994

## Books

Elder, Laurel, and Steven Greene. 2012. *The Politics of Parenthood: Causes and Consequences of the Politicization and Polarization of the American Family*. SUNY-Press, Albany, NY.

## Journal Article and Book Chapters

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"The Role of Character Assessment in Presidential Approval." 2001. *American Politics Research* 29:196-210.

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"Understanding Party Identification: A Social Identity Approach." 1999. *Political Psychology* 20:393-403.

"Changes in Presidential Popularity: A Motivational Approach" 1994. *Eruditio: The Duke University Journal of Social Science*.

### **Other published writing**

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[https://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/politicians-love-to-talk-about-family-but-maybe-not-yours/2012/09/07/0be2edea-f218-11e1-adc6-87dfa8eff430\\_story.html](https://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/politicians-love-to-talk-about-family-but-maybe-not-yours/2012/09/07/0be2edea-f218-11e1-adc6-87dfa8eff430_story.html)

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### **Conference Papers**

Bishin, Benjamin, and Steven Greene. 2022. "Something in the Air? Public Attitudes and The Politicization of Scientific Information during the COVID Pandemic." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

Laurel Elder, Steven Greene, and Mary-Kate Lizotte, 2022. "Abortion attitudes relevant for a Post-Roe America." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

Melissa Deckman, Laurel Elder, Steven Greene, and Mary-Kate Lizotte. 2022. "Abortion, Religion, and Race: Unpacking the Underpinnings of Contemporary Abortion Attitudes" Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

Melissa Deckman, Steven Greene, and Mary-Kate Lizotte. 2021. "Deceptively Stable? How the Stability of Aggregate Abortion Attitudes Conceals Partisan Induced Shifts."

Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

Elder, Laurel, and Steven Greene. "Parenthood and Politics in the Era of Covid-19." Presented at Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting (virtual) January 6 – 9, 2021.

Laurel Elder, Steven Greene, and Mary-Kate Lizotte. 2018. "Feminism in the Age of Trump: The 2016 Election and the State of Feminism." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2018. "Gender, Parenthood, and Political Attitudes in the Age of Trump." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2018. "The Effects of Children and Daughters on Political Attitudes in the Trump Era." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.

Greene, Steven, Kyle Saunders, and Nicholas Pyeatt. 2017. "Parties Want to Believe That Primaries Matter, But Do They Really?: US Primary Elections and Legislator Ideology in the

Polarized Era.” Paper presented at the 76th Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2016. “Gender, Parenthood, and the Politics of Marijuana.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2015. “The Gender Gap in Attitudes towards GMO Foods.” Paper presented at the 74th Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2014. “Red Parents, Blue Parents: The Politics of Modern Parenthood.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2014. “Exploring the “parenthood gap” across European democracies.” Paper presented at the 73rd Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2013. “The Politics of Walmart Moms: Motherhood, Family, and the 2012 Presidential Election.” Paper presented at the Northeastern Political Science Association 2013 Annual Meeting, Philadelphia PA, November 15-17.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2012. “The Gender Gap and the Politics of Parenthood throughout the Lifecycle.” Paper prepared for the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, New Orleans. August 30 – September 2, 2012 (N.B. Conference was cancelled due to hurricane, but paper was completed and disseminated).

Greene, Steven and Kyle Saunders. 2012. “Ideology, Social Class, and Political Identity.” Paper presented at the 71<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

Greene, Steven and Kyle Saunders. 2011. “The New Generation Gap: The Changing Bases of Voting Behavior among Younger and Older Voters in the 2008 Presidential Election Cycle.” Paper presented at the 70th Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

Greene, Steven and Kyle Saunders. 2010. “Public Opinion and the New Generation Gap.” Paper presented at the 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

Masket, Seth, and Steven Greene. 2010. “When One Vote Matters: The Vote on Health Care Reform and Its Impact on Congressional Elections.” Paper presented at the 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2009. “ ‘Mortgage Moms’ and ‘More Responsible Fathers’: Parenthood and Issue Attitudes in the 2008 Presidential Election.” Paper prepared for the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto. September 4-6, 2009.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2009. "The Politics of Parenthood and the 2008 Electoral Campaign: The Use of Parent and Family Themes in Party Appeals and Election Coverage." Paper prepared for presentation at the 67<sup>th</sup> Midwest Political Science Association Annual National Conference, Chicago, IL. April 2-5, 2009.

Greene, Steven, Melinda Jackson, and Kyle Saunders. 2008. "A Social Identity Theory Perspective on Ideology." Paper prepared for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL. April 3-6, 2008.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2007. "The Rise of Politicized Moms and Dads: Media Coverage of Parenthood during Presidential Elections, 1952-2004." Paper prepared for the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL. August 30-September 2, 2007.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2007. "Parenthood, Family, and the Political Parties, 1952-2004." Paper prepared for the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Philadelphia, PA: April 12-15, 2007.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2007. "Marriage, Work, Race, and the Politics of Parenthood." Paper prepared for the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Philadelphia, PA: April 12-15, 2007.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2006. "The Politics of Parenthood, 1972-2004." Paper prepared for the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. Philadelphia, PA: August 31-September 3, 2006.

Steven Greene, Laurel Elder, and Kyle L. Saunders. 2006. "Explaining State Level Variation in the Gender Gap in the 2004 Election." Paper prepared for The 2006 State Politics and Policy Conference. Texas Tech University. Lubbock, TX: May 19-20, 2006.

Laurel Elder and Steven Greene. 2006. "The Truth about Security Moms: The Impact of Parenthood on Political Attitudes about War and Defense Spending." Paper prepared for The Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association. Atlanta, GA: January 3-6, 2006.

Elder, Laurel, and Steven Greene. "Gender, Parenthood, and the Vote in the 2004 Elections." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 1 – 4, 2005

"The Impact of BCRA on the 2004 North Carolina Senate Election." (with Eric Heberlig). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 7-10, 2005.

"Security Moms and NASCAR Dads: The Impact of Children on Parents' Political Views." (with Laurel Elder). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 2 – 5, 2004

"Social Identity and Abortion Attitudes." (with Craig Leonard Brians). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 28 – 31, 2003.

“News Media Bias and U.S. Parties: the Case of Abortion.” (with Craig Leonard Brians). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 29 – September 1, 2002.

“The Changing Relationship Between Partisanship and Social Issues.” (with Kyle Saunders). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 29 – September 1, 2002.

“The Impact of Abortion on Perceptions of Ideology.” (with Laurel Elder). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 25-28, 2002.

“The Social-Psychological Measurement of Partisanship.” Presented at the Vanderbilt University conference on Parties and Partisanship, Nashville, TN, October 25-27, 2001

“The Differential Impact of Emotion-based and Information-based Political Messages.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 30-September 2, 2001

“Elite versus Popular Views on Abortion within American Political Parties.” (with Craig Leonard Brians). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 19-22, 2001.

“The Gender Gap and the Political Impact of Children on Social Welfare Attitudes.” (with Laurel Elder). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 19-22, 2001.

“The Gender Gap in Social Welfare Policy Attitudes.” (with Laurel Elder). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 31 – September 3, 2000.

“The Structure of Partisan Attitudes: Reexamining Partisan Neutrality and Dimensionality.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 31 – September 3, 2000.

“Gender, Mass Media, and the Vote.” (with Laurel Elder). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 27-30, 2000.

“Finding the Weak Link: The Choice of Institutional Venues by Interest Groups” (with Eric Heberlig). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, November 3-7, 1999

“The Psychological Foundations of Partisanship.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 2-5, 1999.

“Race, Gender, and Demographic Determinants of the Psychological Structure of Partisanship.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, October 28-31, 1998.

“A Structural Equation Model of Presidential Approval.” (with Stephen T. Mockabee). Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 3-6, 1998.

"Affective and Cognitive Components of Partisanship: A New Approach." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 23-25, 1998.

"Understanding Partisan Identification: A Social Identity Approach." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, November 6-8, 1997.

Beck, Paul Allen, Russell Dalton, and Steven Greene. “Context and Intermediation Environments in the 1992 Election.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 27-31, 1997.

Weisberg, Herbert, and Steven Greene. "Macropartisanship During the Clinton Administration." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 10-12, 1997.

“How Convention Delegates View the Political World.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 10-12, 1997.

“The Affective Basis of Partisanship.” 1996. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, November 11-13, 1996.

Gronke, Paul and Steven Greene. 1994. “Who Gives the Honeymoon Bash?” Presented at Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 8-10, 1994.

### **NCSU Courses**

*Introduction to American Government, Gender & Politics, Campaigns & Elections, Political Parties, American Public Policy, Criminal Justice Policy, Public Opinion & Media*

### **Teaching/Advising Honors**

NCSU Outstanding Teacher award, 2009-10 (1 of 4 recipients to receive cash award)

CHASS Outstanding Teacher award, 2009-10

Nominee, NCSU Outstanding Faculty Adviser, 2006-07

NCSU Panhellenic Association Outstanding Educator Award, Spring 2005

### **Professional Activities**

*Member:*

American Political Science Association

Midwest Political Science Association

Southern Political Science Association

### **Other**

Member, U.S. Civil Rights Commission, North Carolina Advisory Committee, 2008-present

Expert witness, Montana Republican Party, et al. v. Linda McCulloch, et al, 2015.



Expert witness, Libertarian Party of North Carolina vs. State of North Carolina, 2007.  
“Official Political Scientist,” Sarah Crawford for NC State Senate 18, 2014, 2020.  
“World’s Greatest Dad” awarded by David, Alex, Evan, and Sarah Greene, June 15, 2014

**Media**

Frequent contributor to *Raleigh News & Observer*, WRAL, WNCN, WTVD and WUNC (local NPR). National media appearances in *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, *Politico*, *National Journal*, McClatchy Newspapers, Reuters, NPR's *All Things Considered* and "The CBS Early Show."

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