

FRIDAY, 4 MARCH 2022

Panel Session V: 8:45-10:15 AM

Panel H: Partisanship, Polarization, and Ideological Sorting (AC East)

“The Changing South in Presidential Elections” — M. V. Hood III (University of Georgia), Robert N. Lupton (University of Connecticut), Seth C. McKee (Oklahoma State University), and Daniel A. Smith (University of Florida)

“Sectionalism, Urbanism, and Party Revisited: Looking Back from the 21st Century” — Thomas F. Eamon (East Carolina University)

“Partisan Sorting in the South and Non-South in the Age of Trump” — Joseph A. Aistrup, John C. Morris, and Ryan Williamson (all Auburn University)

“Diagnosing the Political Career of Lindsey Graham, and What it Tells Us about Contemporary Southern Politics” — Scott H. Huffmon (Winthrop University) and Seth C. McKee (Oklahoma State University)

Discussants: Michael Bitzer (Catawba College) and Christopher Cooper (Western Carolina University)

Panel I: Identity Politics and Electoral Outcomes (AC West)

“The Start of Almost Total Futility: Alabama Women in the 1922 Legislative Elections” — Thomas R. Hunter and Karen L. Owen (both University of West Georgia)

“Racial Attitudes and Unhyphenated Americans: Are Attitudes Changing?” — Brian Arbour (John Jay College, CUNY)

“Explaining the Virginia Governor’s Race of 2021: Interruption or Reversal of Fortune?” — John J. McGlennon (College of William and Mary)

“Run Herschel Run: Projecting the 2022 Senate Race in Georgia” — Keith E. Lee Jr. (Valdosta State University), Karen L. Owen (University of West Georgia), and James T. LaPlant (Valdosta State University)

Discussants: Keith Gaddie (University of Oklahoma) and Jocelyn Evans (University of West Florida)

Panel Session VI: 10:30-11:45 AM

Panel J: Rural GOP Realignment (AC East)

“Rural GOP Realignment” — M.V. Hood, III (University of Georgia) and Seth C. McKee (Oklahoma State University)

Panel K: Southern Institutions (AC West)

“Is Senate Rule 22 a Relic of Jim Crow as Many Maintain?” — Lori J. Owens (Jacksonville State University)

“Comparing Florida Governors, 1901 – 2017” — Robert E. Crew and Alexandra Cockerham (Both Florida State University)

“The Republican Domination of Presidential Elections in Tennessee, 2000-2020” — Philip A. Grant, Jr (Pace University)

Discussant: Irwin Morris (North Carolina State University)

Panel Session VII: 1:45-3:00 PM

Panel L: Roundtable on the 2022 Elections (AC)

J. Michael Bitzer	(Catawba College)
Charles S. Bullock, III	(University of Georgia)
John A. Clark	(Western Michigan University)
Susan A. MacManus	(University of South Florida, Emerita)
John J. McGlennon	(College of William and Mary)

About This Symposium

The Citadel’s Department of Political Science is pleased to sponsor the 44th anniversary of The Citadel Symposium on Southern Politics, which offers two days of scholarship focusing on original research and writing and panel discussions devoted to the study of that work. This year’s program features twelve panels of scholarly presentation on various aspects of southern politics.

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Drs. Hostetter and Kapeluck wish to acknowledge the support from The Citadel’s senior administration that the Symposium has enjoyed throughout its history.

Finally, we would like to thank each and every presenter for your continued support for the Symposium. We could not do this without you.

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Schedule of Events

THURSDAY, 3 March 2022

8:00 AM (ongoing)

Registration, 2nd floor, Altman Center (AC)

8:30 AM – 9:45 AM PANEL SESSION I

Panel A: Race, Gender, and Identity (AC East)

Panel B: Civil Rights and Rhetoric (AC East)

10:00 AM – 11:30 AM PANEL SESSION II

Panel C: State and Local Elections (AC East)

Panel D: Architecture & Political Development (AC West)

11:45 – 1:00 PM LUNCHEON

Club Level – Johnson Hagood Stadium

1:15 PM – 2:45 PM PANEL SESSION III

Panel E: Voting Groups Driving Southern Political Change (AC East)

3:00 PM – 4:30 PM PANEL SESSION IV

Panel F: Partisan Politics and Party Competition (AC East)

Panel G: Public Opinion and Emotions (AC West)

4:45 PM – 6:00 PM RECEPTION

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Keynote Lecture: African American Statewide Candidates in the New South

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South Carolina Corps of Cadets Retreat Parade

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Panel A: Race, Gender, and Identity (AC East)

“Law and Order or Racism? Fatal Police Violence in the South and Non-South” — Martin K. Mayer (University of North Carolina at Pembroke), John C. Morris (Auburn University), R. Bruce Anderson (Florida Southern College), and Robert C. Kenter (Old Dominion University)

“The Politics of Southern Identity” — Christopher Cooper (Western Carolina University), Scott Huffmon (Winthrop University), H. Gibbs Knotts (College of Charleston), and Seth C. McKee (Oklahoma State University)

“Police Funding in the South Post George Floyd – Proposition A in Austin, TX” — Chad Kinsella (Ball State University)

“Partisan Politics in the 21st Century South: Reassessing the Localized Effects of Slavery” — Irwin Morris (North Carolina State University)

Discussant: James T. LaPlant (Valdosta State University)

Panel B: Civil Rights and Rhetoric (AC East)

“Variance in Racial Rhetoric of Southern Governors: An Analysis” — Abigail Bennett and Erlinda Loyola (Both Florida Southern College)

“How Southern Black Churches and Black Women Nurtured Civil Rights Activism” — Bobby Fitzgerald, Hikaru Nagoshi, and Khalid Glover (All Florida Southern College)

Discussant: Joel Turner (Western Kentucky University)

Panel Session II: 10:00-11:30 AM

Panel C: State and Local Elections (AC East)

“City Slickers vs. Country Squires: City-County Consolidation in Georgia” — Scott E. Buchanan (Georgia College and State University) and Bruce L. Blair (Clayton State University)

“Straight Ticket Voting in Recent South Carolina Elections: Partisanship, Polarization, or Declining Competitiveness” — Dan Ruff (Midlands Technical College)

“Polarization of North Carolina’s Precincts: A Geographical Analysis of North Carolina Politics” — J. Michael Bitzer (Catawba College)

Discussant: R. Bruce Anderson (Florida Southern College)

Panel D: Architecture & Political Development (AC West)

“Architecture & Political Development: The Georgia Courthouse Project” — Keith Gaddie (University of Oklahoma) and Jocelyn Evans (University of West Florida)

Panel Session III: 1:15-2:45 PM

Panel E: Voting Groups Driving Southern Political Change (AC East)

“Women and Southern Political Change” — Susan MacManus (University of South Florida, Emerita), Kathryn DePalo-Gould (Florida International University), and Amy Benner (Rutgers University)

“African Americans and Southern Political Change” — Charles S. Bullock III (University of Georgia)

“The Latino Surge and Southern Political

Change” — Mark J. Rozell (George Mason University)

“The Emerging Asian Influence on Southern Political Change” — Jeremy D. Mayer (George Mason University)

Discussants: Patrick Miller (University of Kansas) and John J. McGlennon (College of William and Mary)

Panel Session IV: 3:00-4:30 PM

Panel F: Partisan Politics and Party Competition (AC East)

“Low Country and High Country Economic Differences in South Carolina” — Lance Smith and Michael Schildberg (Both of Florida Southern College)

“Political Behaviors Throughout History: What Makes Texas Unique?” — Sydney Budt and Jessica Davis (Both of Florida Southern College)

Discussant: Matthew Gunning (Georgia Gwinnett College)

Panel G: Public Opinion and Emotions (AC West)

“Southern Support for Electoral Reform Proposals” — Joel Turner, Scott Lasley, and Jeff Kash, (all Western Kentucky University)

“Redistricting in Texas: Public Interest and Opinion” — Karen L. Owen (University of West Georgia) and Mark Owens (University of Texas at Tyler)

“Religious Freedom in the South: Meanings and Applications in Public Opinion” — Patrick R. Miller (University of Kansas) and Pamela Johnston Conover (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill)

Discussant: Brian Arbour (John Jay College, CUNY)