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Professional Experience

Director, Research Data Services & Social, Natural, and Engineering Sciences, University Library, University of Virginia, 2015-present

Director, Research Data Services & Head, StatLab, University Library, University of Virginia, 2013-2015

Associate Director, Data Infrastructure & Services, Data Science Institute, University of Virginia, 2014-2016

Data Scientist, Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service, University of Virginia, 2011-2013

Assistant Professor, Department of Politics, University of Virginia, 2004-2011

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Oklahoma, 2002-2004

Invited Lecturer, Advanced Maximum Likelihood, ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, University of Michigan, 2002-2005

Freelance Statistical Consultant

Education

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Ph.D., 2002, Political Science

University of Wisconsin-Madison, M.A., 1996, Political Science

Rice University, Houston, TX, B.A., 1993, Political Science

Books

Claibourn, Michele P. In Progress. *Leading Research Data Services*. Under contract, ALA Editions.

Claibourn, Michele P. 2011. *Presidential Campaigns and Presidential Accountability*. University of Illinois Press, Series on Democracy, Free Enterprise, and the Rule of Law.

Peer-Reviewed Articles

Claibourn, Michele P. 2015. "Bigger on the Inside: Building Research Data Services at the University of Virginia." *Insights* 28: 100-106.

Martin, Paul S. and Michele P. Claibourn. 2013. "Citizen Participation and Congressional Responsiveness: New Evidence for Why Participation Matters." *Legislative Studies Quarterly*.

- Claibourn, Michele P. 2012. "Hearing Campaign Appeals: The Accountability Implications of Campaign Tone." *Political Communication* 29: 64-85.
- Claibourn, Michele P. and Paul S. Martin. 2012. "Creating Constituencies: Presidential Campaigns, Selective Mobilization, and the Scope of Conflict." *Political Behavior* 34: 27-56.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2008. "Making a Connection: Repetition and Priming in Campaigns." *Journal of Politics* 70: 1142-1159.
- Claibourn, Michele P. and Paul S. Martin. 2007. "The Third Face of Social Capital: How membership in Voluntary Associations Improves Policy Accountability." *Political Research Quarterly* 60: 192-201.
- Claibourn, Michele P. and Paul S. Martin. 2000. "Trusting and Joining: An Empirical Test of the Reciprocal Nature of Social Capital." *Political Behavior* 22: 267-291.

Reports, Reviews, Chapters, Posts

- Claibourn, Michele P. 2017. [Data for Democracy Project Blog](#).
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2013. Review of *Competitive Elections and the American Voter*, by Keena Lipsitz. *Perspectives on Politics* 10: 1030-1031.
- Cable, Dustin and Michele P. Claibourn. July 2012. "Red State, Blue State: Demographic Change and Presidential Politics in Virginia." *Numbers Count*. U.Va. Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.
- Claibourn, Michele P. April 2012. "Blacks in Virginia: Demographic Trends in Historical Context." *Numbers Count*. U.Va. Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2012. [Reviewed Posts on StatChatVA](#). U.Va. Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2005. "The Influence of Campaign Advertising." Samuel Best and Benjamin Radcliff (eds), *Encyclopedia of Public Opinion*. Greenwood Press.

Presentations, Lectures

- Claibourn, Michele P. 2017. "From Last to Ancient First: Merging Research Data Services & Social, Natural, Engineering Liaisons." Poster presented at the Association of College and Research Libraries Conference (March), Baltimore, MD.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2016. "Bigger on the Inside: Integrating Research Data Services in Campus-Wide Networks." Presentation for the Coalition for Networked Information Fall Meeting (December), Washington, DC.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2016. "Presidential Debate Analysis in R." Presented at the UVA R User Meetup (December), Charlottesville, VA.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2016. "2016 Presidential Debates: Text as Data." Presented at the DH@UVA Conference (October), Charlottesville, VA.

- Claibourn, Michele P. 2016. "Congressional Earmarks and the Politics of Representation." Presented at the Center for the Study of Data and Knowledge (February), University of Virginia.
- Claibourn, Michele and Ivey Glendon. 2014. "Data Services as Information Services: or, Old Wine, New Bottle." Presented at the ALA Midwinter Meeting (January), Philadelphia, PA.
- Workshops and Lectures on Sentiment Analysis in R, Topic Modeling in R, Text Classification in R, Matching Methods, Multiple Imputation, Cluster Analysis, Duration Models, Multilevel/Mixed-Effects Models, Using Stata, SPSS Syntax, Data Wrangling in R, Data Visualization in R
- Tippett, Rebecca, Michele Claibourn, and Qian Cai. 2013. "Population Projections by Demographic Details: A Multi-Layered Approach." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America (April), New Orleans, LA.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2012. "Multilevel Modeling for Population Projections: Projections for Virginia." Paper presented to the Southern Demographic Association (October), Williamsburg, VA.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2010. "The Accountability Implications of Campaign Tone: Hearing and Connecting Negative and Positive Campaign Appeals to Candidates." Paper presented to the American Political Science Association (September), Washington, DC.
- Claibourn, Michele P. and Paul S. Martin. 2006. "Creating Constituencies: Presidential Campaigns, Selective Mobilization, and the Scope of Conflict." Paper presented to the American Political Science Association (September), Philadelphia, PA
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2006. "Hearing the Campaign: Candidate Messages, Public Perceptions, and Public Priorities." Paper presented to the Midwest Political Science Association (April), Chicago, IL.
- Claibourn, Michele. 2005. Discussant for the Summer Meeting of the Society of Political Methodology (July), Tallahassee, FL.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2005. "Candidate Agendas, Public Perceptions, and Public Priorities in Presidential Campaigns." Paper presented to the Midwest Political Science Association (April), Chicago, IL.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2004. "Candidate Agendas and the Public Agenda in the 2000 Presidential Campaign." Paper presented to the American Political Science Association (September), Chicago, IL.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2003. "Making a Connection: How Ads Link Issues with Candidates in the Minds of Voters." Paper presented to the American Political Science Association (August), Philadelphia, PA.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2003. "Connecting the Candidates to Issues: The Influence of Campaign Advertising." Paper presented to the Midwest Political Science Association (April), Chicago, IL.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2002. "Candidate-Issue Connections in the 2000 Presidential Campaign." Paper presented to the International Society of Political Psychology (July), Berlin, Germany.

- Claibourn, Michele P. 2002. "Learning How to Evaluate: The Development of Candidate-Issue Connections in the 2000 Presidential Campaign." Paper presented to the Midwest Political Science Association (April), Chicago, IL.
- Sapiro, Virginia and Michele Claibourn. 2002. "Gender Differences in Citizen-Level Democratic Citizenship: Evidence from the Comparative Study of Electoral Systems." Paper presented to the Conference on Comparative Study of Electoral Systems, Berlin, Germany.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2002. "The Persistence of Presidential Campaigns: The 2000 Campaign." Paper presented to the American Political Science Association (September), San Francisco, CA.
- Sapiro, Virginia and Michele Claibourn. 2001. "Gender Differences in Citizen-Level Democratic Citizenship: Evidence from the Comparative Study of Electoral Systems." Paper presented to the Midwest Political Science Association (April), Chicago, IL.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2000. "The Persistence of Presidential Campaigns in Presidential Evaluations." Paper presented to the American Political Science Association (September), Washington D.C..
- Sapiro, Virginia and Michele Claibourn. 2000. "Gender Differences in Citizen-Level Democratic Citizenship: Evidence from the Comparative Study of Electoral Systems." Paper presented to the International Political Science Association (July), Quebec.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2000. "Campaign Agendas and the Public Agenda: The 2000 Presidential Campaign." Poster presented to the Society of Political Methodology (July), Los Angeles, CA.
- Claibourn, Michele P. 2000. "The Persistence of Presidential Campaigns in the Public Agenda: A panel analysis." Paper presented to the Midwest Political Science Association (April), Chicago, IL.
- Claibourn, Michele P. and Paul S. Martin. 2000. "Information and Accountability: The Influence of Voluntary Associations on Assessments of Government Performance." Paper presented to the Midwest Political Science Association (April), Chicago, IL.
- Claibourn, Michele P. and Paul S. Martin. 1998. "Trusting and Joining: Social Capital and Its Influence on Attitudes toward Government." Paper presented to the Midwest Political Science Association (April), Chicago, IL.

Grants and Awards

- Creating a Data Catalog to Promote Access to Open Health Data, National Network of Libraries of Medicine Southeastern/Atlantic Region, 2017-2018 (Co-Principal Investigator)
- Summer Research Grant, Vice-President for Research, University of Virginia, 2005, 2006
- Excellence in Diversity Fellow, University of Virginia, 2005-2006
- Junior Faculty Research Grant, University of Oklahoma, 2003, 2004
- Faculty Enrichment Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Oklahoma, 2003

Instructional Technology Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Oklahoma, 2002

Midwest Political Science Association Sophonisba Breckenridge Award, for the best paper on Women in Politics presented at the annual meeting, 2001

National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant, 2000

Clara Penniman Fellowship, Department of Political Science, UW-Madison, 1999

Courses Taught

Undergraduate

Research Design
The Presidency and the Public
Citizen Competence
Political Communication
Political Psychology
Voters & Campaigns
American Government

Graduate

Public Interest Data Lab
Text as Data
Applied Causal Inference
Maximum Likelihood Estimation
Linear Modeling
Probability & Statistics
Mixed-Effects Models
Time Series Analysis

Selected Professional Activities and Service

Judge, MSDS Capstone Projects, Systems and Information Engineering Design Symposium, Spring 2015-2017

Judge, GCOM 7140 Customer Analytics Capstone Projects, Spring 2017

Organizer and Host, UVA DataFest, March 2016

Member, American Library Association, Association of College and Research Libraries, 2016-present

Co-founder and co-organizer, UVA R Meetup, 2014-present

Member, Data Science Advisory Board, U.Va., 2014-2017

Member, Advanced Computing Steering Committee, U.Va., 2014-2017

Member, Quantitative Collaborative Steering Committee, U.Va., 2013-2015

Member, Planning Committee for U.Va. Interdisciplinary Graduate Certificate in Survey Research Methods, 2012-2013

Section Chair, Elections and Voting Behavior, American Political Science Association 2012 Annual Meeting, 2011-2012

Member, Philip E. Converse Book Award Committee, American Political Science Association's Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior Section, 2011

Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, Department of Politics, U.Va., 2010-2011

Section Chair, Electoral Campaigns, Midwest Political Science Association 2008 Annual Meeting, 2007-2008

Member of Society of Political Methodology's Graduate Student Selection Committee for the annual meeting, 2006, 2007

Member, Quantitative Reasoning Assessment Committee, U.Va., 2007-2008

Reviewer, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Political Behavior*, *Political Psychology*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *American Politics Research*, *Politics and Gender*, *National Science Foundation*, *Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences*